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NEW JURY TO GET PELLETIER CASE

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IRISH PARLIAMENT MEMBER MURDERED

RECORD VERDICT WINNER

MRS. DORRIT STEVENS WOODHOUSE

MRS. WOODHOUSE WINS $465,000 LOVE VERDICT

IRISH DAIL MEMBER SLAIN

John Hales Shot Dead in Dublin; Deputy Speaker Is Wounded in Attack

Cork, Dec. 7 (By the Associated Press).—A powerful bomb was thrown at a military car today. The missile did not reach its mark, but exploded nearby, wounding two men and two women. The bomb thrower escaped.

Belfast, Dec. 7 (By the Associated Press).—Both houses of the Ulster Parliament voted unanimously today to "contract out" of the Irish Free State, as permitted under the Anglo-Irish Treaty.

Premier Sir James Craig said Ulster would not appoint a representative of the proposed commission to fix the boundary between Ulster and the Free State, nor take interest in the commission in any way.

Dublin, Dec. 7 (By International News Service).—John Hales, a member of the Dail Eireann, was shot to death, and Patrick O'Malley, deputy speaker of the Dail, was wounded here today.

Hales and his brother, Tom Hales, were accompanied by O'Malley when they were attacked in the street by four Republicans. Th a was the first

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PELLETIER CASE TO NEW JURY

Allen Plans Also to Seek Indictment of Coakley and Others

A stir was caused today in legal, banking and political circles when it was learned that Attorney-General J. Weston Allen plans to call another Grand Jury extraordinary to clean up important cases that are pending on the files of his department.

Among the earliest cases to be presented to Mr. Allen's next Special Grand Jury will be those against Joseph C. Pelletier, deposed District Attorney for Suffolk County, who is now on his way to Germany for his health, Daniel H. Coakley, recently disbarred, and other lawyers, alleged to have had a hand in the blackmail cases.

HANOVER TRUST CASE.

Mr. Allen will ask for indictments against Pelletier, Coakley and others. He will also present for the fourth time the case of the Hanover Trust Company. Three previous grand juries, the third a grand jury extraordinary, which Mr. Allen peremptorily dismissed, failed to find bills against the officials of the Hanover Trust Company in whose affairs Charles Ponzi was prominently identified.

UNDER SPECIAL ACT.

The cases of the Tremont Trust Company will also be taken up by the Grand Jury. Attorney-General Allen procured the enactment of a special act giving him authority to ask for special grand juries. The procedure is first to apply to the chief justice of Superior Court and show that the emergency warrants such extraordinary action.

No date has been set for the special grand jury session.

President John McNamee and other officials of the Prudential Trust Company and Max Mitchell of the Cosmopolitan Trust Company are already under indictment.

Attorney-General Allen is also understood to be planning hasty trial of the blackmailing cases against former District Attorney William J. Corcoran and other alleged members of the Boston blackmail ring.

PUPILS FILE OUT AS SCHOOL BURNS

Cranston, R. I., Dec. 7.—Three hundred children, from six to twelve years old, marched safely out through smoke-filled corridors when fire started in the basement of the Highland Park grammar school today. Coolness of the fifteen teachers prevented a panic.

The fire was caused by a defective flue. Smoke rolled up through the two stories of the building. The fire signal was sounded. The children filed from their class rooms in disciplined order. The flames did $3,000 damage.

CHARGE BROTHERS SET STORES AFIRE

Lowell, Dec. 7.—Max and Jacob Bogdanoff, brothers, operating a string of local provision stores, were arrested today on charges of arson in connection with simultaneous fires in two of their stores. They were held in $2,000 each for hearing tomorrow.

The stores where the fires were discovered are in Bridge street. Incendiarism was suspected. The brothers declared enemies set the fires. Police investigation resulted in the double arrest.

AWARDED RECORD AMOUNT

Wealthy Parents of Husband Lose to Daughter of Soap Salesman

Burlington, Vt., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Dorrit Van Deusen Stevens Woodhouse was given a verdict of $400,000 damages for the lost love of her husband by a Chittenden County jury today.

A further award of $65,000 was granted as "punitive and exemplary damages."

Both were against Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Woodhouse of this city and New York, who were accused by the

Turn Over.

COURTED 22 YEARS, DESERTED IN MONTH

After courting Miss Edith Plympton of Brookline for twenty-two years, Dr. Noble Hind (Bill of Rights Minerva, Huntington avenue, asked her to marry him. She consented. A month later she left him.

"Our married life lasted one short month, after twenty-two years of courtship," Dr. Hill told Chief Justice Hall at the Suffolk County Divorce Court session today.

"We were married September 15, 1914. Thirty days later my wife left for California and I have not seen her since."

Dr. Hill was granted a divorce.

—Give How to Christmas Basket Fund—

BRITISH PARLIAMENT GUARDS REINFORCED

London, Dec. 7 (By International News Service by radio).—Fears of Communist demonstrations led to more vigorous police precautions in Westminster today. Additional guards of plain clothes men were stationed about Parliament Building by Scotland Yard.

CLEMENCEAU GUEST AT WHITE HOUSE

Washington, Dec. 7.—Guests at President Harding's luncheon in honor of M. Clemenceau today at the White House included Vice-President Coolidge, Chief Justice Taft, Secretaries Hughes, Mellon, Weeks, Denby; Fall and Davis, Attorney-General Daugherty, Speaker Gillett, Senator Lodge and Representative Porter, Chairman of the Senate and House Foreign Affairs Committees, Ambassador Jusserand, and Henry White, and Hugh C. Wallace, both former Ambassadors to France.

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MANY AUTOS LOST IN BIG PARIS FIRE

Paris, Dec. 7. (By International News Service).—The biggest fire here in several years today destroyed many automobile salesrooms in the Etoile District. There were no casualties.

Cinderella, you will please take notice—

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"THE PRIDE OF PALOMAR"

The struggle of the last of an ancient California line to save the family estate from Japanese invasion

Begins in this newspaper next Monday, December 11.

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RICH IN VITAMINS

AT ALL NEIGHBORHOOD and CHAIN STORES

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SEEKS $500,000 TO TRY WAR 'GRAFTERS'

Washington, Dec. 7.—A further allowance of $500,000 for the prosecution of war frauds by the Attorney-General, a special appropriation of a like amount having been made some months ago, brought the 1923-24 appropriation for the Department of Justice to $18,366,556 in a bill laid before the House today. The total is $514,932 in excess of appropriations for the department for the current fiscal year.

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JURY DOUBLES GRAIN DEALER'S LIQUOR FINE

Patrick Carroll, a grain dealer at Union square, Somerville, who was recently convicted of violation of the liquor law, sentenced to six months in the House of Correction and fined $100, in the Somerville court and appealed, was convicted of the same offence by a jury in the Middlesex Superior Criminal Court at Cambridge today. He was sentenced to pay a fine of $500 and given until February 7 to pay the fine.

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URGES WOMEN TO HELP END DRY ERA

New York, Dec. 7. (By International News Service).—Self-denial by women will overturn the prohibition law, Miss Elizabeth Marbury told the Molly Pitcher Club, in a speech. She advised women to deny themselves new hats, new gowns, theatres and theatre tickets and contribute more liberally to the anti-dry fund.

TRAWLER IN DISTRESS OFF GRAND BANKS

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 7.—The Department of Marine and Fisheries today received a radio stating that the steamer "Auguste Lebonde," believed to be the French steam trawler Auguste Leblond, was in distress 300 miles off Cape Race and that the steamer Neils Neilsen was standing by. The trawler hails from Fecant, France, and was last reported operating on the Grand Banks. The Neils Neilsen sailed from Grangemouth October 23 for Glasgow and Boston.

2 MONTHS IN JAIL FOR WIFE-BEATER

Antonio Bruno, thirty-four years old, of No. 190 Cottage street, was sentenced to two months in the House of Correction by Judge Barnes in East Boston court for assault and battery on his wife, Nicolina, mother of seven children. Mrs. Bruno told the court a story of abuse and cruel treatment which, she claimed, extended over thirteen years of married life.

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BANK STATEMENT.

New York bank clearings	$640,000,000
New York bank balances	21,000,000
Boston bank clearings	63,000,000
Boston bank balances	17,000,000
N.Y.Fed.Res.Bank, credit	51,000,000

MRS. WOODHOUSE AWARDED $465,000 IN MILLION DOLLAR SUIT

VERDICT AGAINST PARENTS IN SENSATIONAL FIGHT

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plaintiff of alienating the affections of their son, C. Douglas Woodhouse.

The suit was for $1,000,000.

The jury returned after nearly forty-eight hours' deliberation.

Counsel for the defendants went into conference directly after the jury made its report. Declining to see newspaper men the attorneys finally sent out the following announcement:

"A motion to set aside the verdict will be filed with Judge Moulton as soon as he returns to court. This will probably be inside of a week."

ADMITS IT'S LARGE.

Judge C. H. Darling, of counsel for the defendants, said later: "When I gave notice of filing the motion, Judge Moulton replied that we can file between now and the holidays. If the verdict is not set aside we will carry the case to the Supreme Court."

Asked for a comment on the jury action he answered, "Well, it was a very large verdict."

Warren R. Austin, counsel for the plaintiff, refused to permit Mrs. Woodhouse to see newspaper representatives. He said a statement would be issued later.

The young Mrs. Woodhouse is secluded at her home, a modest eight-room house that is hardly a stone's throw from the spacious Woodhouse estate, where her parents-in-law locked themselves in.

CAUSED SENSATION.

Dorrit was deluged with telephone calls and telegrams of congratulation.

The verdict was a topic of conversation throughout Burlington. It caused more excitement than a general alarm fire, judging from the arguments gracing every street corner and the size of the crowds that thronged the streets, especially near the homes of the principals and about the courthouse.

The largest alienation verdict ever awarded before in Vermont was for $20,000, at Windsor, by a Federal Court Judge jury against Thomas S. Nelson, the widely-known "slate king," who was sued by Nellie Nelson, wife of his son, Romeyn.

The trial, which was highly sensational, lasted more than five weeks.

One of the features of the case were the endearing "Cutie Pie" letters written by Woodhouse to his wife.

The jury reported to an almost empty courtroom. Not even Mrs. Dorrit Woodhouse or either of the defendants were present.

The throng that had packed the courthouse throughout the trial and had spent weary periods waiting for the jurymen to come in had failed to appear.

As the jurors filed in, Clerk C. J. Russell asked: "Have you found a verdict, gentlemen?"

"We have found in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of $465,000."

INVOLVED SOCIETY BELLE.

Judge Sherman R. Moulton made no comment. After a moment he directed Russell to discharge the jurymen and pay them for their services.

Attorney Warren R. Austin, counsel for the younger Mrs. Woodhouse expressed jubilation and congratulated the jurors individually.

Counsel for the defendants refused to make any statement until after having consulted with Mr. Woodhouse, father of C. Douglas, the absent husband of the comely Dorrit, whose escapades with Lillian Hendricks McLelland, spritely Washington divorcee, furnished one of the interesting phases of the sensational trial.

Mrs. Dorrit Woodhouse averred that her multi-millionaire parents-in-law urged their son to spurn the daughter of a Vermont soap salesman and turn his attentions toward the aristocratic society belle, Lillian McLelland.

"SPICY" LETTERS.

The trial was replete with spicy incidents and heart throbs, one of which came the day that the spurned wife admitted on the stand that she had written a letter to C. Douglas before their marriage declaring that she would "rather die than bring disgrace to his name." Th a was some months after their "union of love."

C. Douglas, judging from his letters, was a prolific writer of love notes, and he also had a predilection for poetry, for he repeatedly referred to the girl as "Cutie Pie," "Dottie Pie." One of his male friends was spoken of as "Lamb Pie."

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AUTOS AND FLOWERS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Beverly, Dec. 7—Fire today destroyed three automobiles and many carnation plants in the storage sheds of A. H. Pembroke at No. 229 Cabot street. The fire started in the boiler house and quickly spread to the sheds. The loss is $8,000.

Parents Lose

C. DOUGLAS WOODHOUSE

Dorrit to Have 'Orgy' of Bill Paying

Burlington, Vt., Dec. 7.—The very first thing pretty Dorrit Van Deusen Stevens Woodhouse will do with her $465,000 heart balm will be to pay for her wedding trousseau—providing, of course, that she gets the money.

While a jury awarded her that amount of damages in her million-dollar suit against Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Woodhouse, the parents of C. Douglas, prolific author of "Cutie Pie" love notes, it will be long weeks before she collects, if ever.

For the defendants will fight further. They will file a motion to set aside the verdict and, if that fails, they will go to the Supreme Court.

So, while Dorrit rejoiced over her victory in the modest little home she shares with her mother on Spruce street, just a stone's throw from the great Woodhouse mansion she once expected to grace, she is also subject to acute attacks of fear. **For Dorrit knows the tremendous power of the Woodhouse millions.**

When a friend called to congratulate her on her victory she asked the most natural question: "Dorrit, what will you do with all your money?"

PAY FOR TROUSSEAU.

"Pay for my wedding trousseau first," came her answer.

It seems that C. Douglas spent $10,000 or so in a three-months courtship, but carefully neglected to pay for her wedding finery. This has worried both Dorrit and her dressmaker, Mrs. Katherine Pratt.

Then, will the comely Dorrit settle other claims that tradesmen and others have against her for indebtedness which both her husband and his multi-millionaire father had refused to pay?

Even though her counsel, Warren R. Austin, refused to let newspapermen see her, it has leaked out through close associates that the younger Mrs. Woodhouse will indulge in an orgy of bill paying. And this announcement pleased greatly some anxious storekeepers who have been anxiously waiting.

NEEDS A REST.

Girl chums think that Dorrit will go to some distant place where she is not known and there try to recuperate from the strain of the five weeks' trial. This has sapped her strength to a greater degree than any of the casual spectators in the courtroom could see.

From one of Burlington's leading merchants it became known today that the claims against the young Woodhouses, which Dorrit aims to pay, total around $5,000.

Some are said to have been incurred by C. Douglas during the days he penned the ardent "Cutie Pie" letters and the others are understood to have been run up with his consent while he was spending $50 a day on hotel expenses and lavishing attention on Mrs. Lillian Hendricks McLelland in Washington.

Papa Woodhouse replied to all queries about the bills that he had "disinherited his son" and therefore there was "nothing doing" as far as he was concerned.

SON BEATEN BY POLICE, SAYS WOMAN

Mrs. Mary Sharkey of No. 3 McCormick Square, East Boston, today complained to Police Commissioner Wilson that her nineteen-year-old son, James Sharkey, had been brutally mauled by police officers in Station 15, Charlestown, while he was suffering from a fit of epilepsy.

Mrs. Sharkey declared that the boy's wrist was broken, two of his teeth loosened, his ankle bruised by a policeman's club and his head cut and bruised. The youth is a war veteran.

Mrs. Sharkey could not name the officers, but asked an investigation. Commissioner Wilson directed that the boy be taken to the station and allowed to identify the officers.

According to Mrs. Sharkey, she and her son went to Charlestown to visit the police, former Representative Henry McLaughlin. He fell in a fit on the bridge and was picked up by one or more officers and taken to the station.

His first memory of happenings at the station was that he recovered consciousness, but was still dazed and that officers were plying him with questions. His answers angered them and he was seized and his head banged against a wall.

He was then clubbed, thrown down and thrust into a cell, where he again suffered an attack of epilepsy. He recovered consciousness this time in the Relief Hospital.

CABLE BRIEFS

Madrid (By A. P.)—The Marquis de Alhucemas today accepted the task of forming a cabinet to succeed Sanchez Guerra, premier.

Washington—Four central distributing and public feeding stations have been established in Russia by the Papal relief mission which, the National Catholic Welfare Council announced today, has purchased food stuffs sufficient to feed 40,000 children for two months.

London (By A. P.)—Premier Mussolini of Italy has accepted the invitation to come to London and the conference of Allied Premiers preliminary to the Brussels conference on reparations is thereby assured full representation.

Para, Brazil (By Associated Press).—Lieutenant Walter Hinton resumed his New York-to-Rio Janeiro airplane flight today, at 7 a. m., setting out for Maranhao, down the coast, and intending to stop at Braganca for gasoline.

DESERTED BRIDE REFUSED HER LIBERTY

Deserted after a ten-day honeymoon, Mrs. Gertrude Rosenberg today in the Suffolk Divorce Court sought to bring about a dissolution of the marriage tie between herself and Morris Rosenberg on the ground of non-support. Mrs. Morris told Judge Hall that she married Goldberg November 21, 1921, and that he left her ten days later and had never contributed a cent to her support nor the support of her child. Judge Hall denied the petition on the ground that sufficient time had not elapsed since her husband deserted her.

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SENATOR PROTESTS ANNAPOLIS HAZING

Washington, Dec. 7 (By International News Service).—A vigorous protest against hazing at the Annapolis Naval Academy was expressed by Senator Owen, Democrat of Oklahoma, in a letter today to President Harding.

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$12.56

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⅔ after 24 selling days
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Hundreds of Other Lots—NO MAIL ORDERS

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16	women's coats	18.00	13.50
46	vanity boxes	68c	34c
11	women's silk chemises	2.75	2.06
5	women's suits	19.75	9.87

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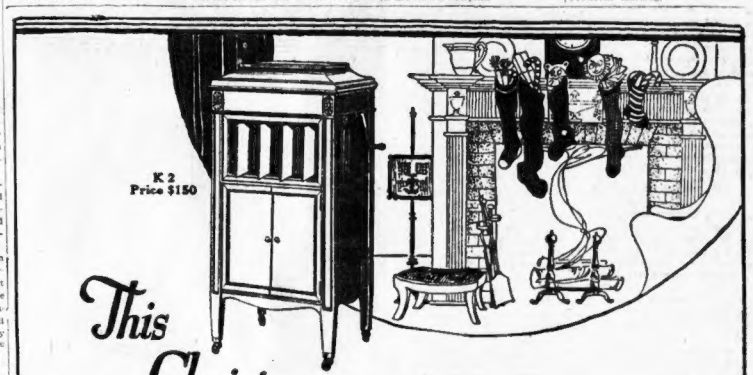
and hundreds of other lots not advertised Friday



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4—One-hand Top Easy to raise and lower without danger of damage or breakage.

COLUMBIA TONE

5—Universal Reproducer which gives natural accuracy of tone because it is constructed to reproduce the proper balance between overtones and fundamental tones.

6—Straight Tone Arm which allows the sound waves to develop fully and naturally—unimpeded by joints and reflections—from the time they are picked off the record till they emerge through the tone arm.

7—Tone Amplifier which assures true and natural amplification. Size and design are the result of 30 years' constant experimentation.

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10—Non-Set Automatic Stop It stops the motor, without human aid, when the record has finished playing.

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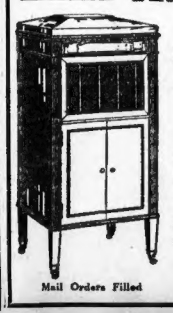

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High tide 1 a. m.; 1.10 p. m.
Moon sets 7:07 p. m.
Temperatures: Maximum, 36 at 11 a. m. minimum, 34 at 1 a. m.; average, 36.
Light all vehicles at 4:30 p. m.

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BOSTON, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1922

MRS. WOODBURY ADOPTS ANOTHER WAIF

Today

Green, Orange, White She Could Not Add Diabetes Conquered 7 Wise Words

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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IN IRELAND yesterday the Union Jack, representing British control, was furled—perhaps for all time. The Irish flag—green, orange and white—was hoisted in its place. The King made the proclamation, the new government started as the Irish flag went to the masthead everywhere.

There ended an old chapter and began a new chapter in history. From this you learn that it pays to fight when you are in the right. The Irish fought England for seven hundred years and have won.

May they now cease fighting each other, concentrating all the genius and courage of their race on building up Ireland to her right place among the world's nations.

JULIUS BERMAN wants a divorce from his wife because "she can't add four and five," and "can't even be trusted with fifty cents."

Many men would be hurried through the divorce court if unfitness to be trusted with fifty cents meant divorce.

Mrs. Berman, however, brushes it all aside by saying, "Julius has fallen in love with another woman who has high educational attainments." Any excuse will do when a man wants to make a fool of himself.

IN THIS COUNTRY are a million persons suffering from diabetes, in various stages. That disease usually kills in the end. When it causes unconsciousness, that has always meant death. But from the New York Hospital a boy of sixteen, who had been lying at death's door, in the coma of diabetes, was discharged cured. "Live carefully, and you may live indefinitely," said the doctors.

A new remedy, "Insulin," made from the pancreas of a pig, caused the cure. Dr. Banting and his assistant, C. H. Best, of the University of Toronto, discovered this treatment that will save lives as long as medical science shall last.

Your doctor, if he lacks information, can get it from Dr. Howell, superintendent of the New York Hospital, New York city).

PRESIDENT HARDING summed up his opinion of the League of Nations in seven

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Just right for two—or a dozen

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WILL GIVE NEW BABY A HAPPY HOLIDAY

Belmont Couple From Whom Elizabeth Cillis Was Taken Trying to Fill Void

"Christmas without a baby in the house was unthinkable. So we have taken in a darling chubby boy just to fill the place in our hearts left empty when they took little Elizabeth Gillis away from us."

Mrs. Ralph Woodberry, of No. 44 Hillcrest road, Belmont, told this with a catch in her voice. Mrs. Woodberry was sitting in the living room of her luxurious home, where less than a month ago little Elizabeth Gillis, her adopted and adored baby, had dragged her rocking horse across the floor, before her own mother, Mrs. Max Witte, came to claim her child, and take her far away from the love and care of the baby's foster parents.

"We couldn't stand the house so bare and empty without the happy tinkling sound of a baby voice," said Mrs. Woodberry, "and particularly over Christmas—the ache of loneliness would have been too much.

BEST CHRISTMAS.

"So, when my husband went to New York last week, I went with him, and we brought home this sweet baby, whom we had heard of before. I don't know yet whether we shall keep him or not. But I do know that we will give him the best Christmas he ever had in his life so far.

"I am going to have the biggest Christmas tree I can get in the house, with candy canes and sugar Santa Clauses, and cornucopias and everything else I can possibly crowd onto the branches. And our boy shall hang up a stocking—he can have one of mine, it will hold so much more than his own baby sock.

"Mr. Woodberry is going to play Santa Claus. And I am going to cook his turkey myself, with all the fixin's that one baby can stuff into his little insides without being sick."

Mrs. Woodberry said she was not sure whether she would adopt the child legally or whether she would send it home after Christmas.

PREFERS A GIRL.

"Our hearts were broken over Elizabeth," she said. "We built this house for her. We brought her up to see the grounds before the first stake was driven. And I made all her pretty little clothes with my own hands.

"She could not have been more our baby if she had been our own flesh and blood. And now after that, I don't know if I can bear to give my heart to another child, who might be torn from me the same way.

"Besides, if I do take a child I would rather have a little girl. You see, I have all Elizabeth's dainty dresses that I embroidered myself, and I would love to have some mite of feminity to dress up in them.

"But whether I keep this baby I have now or not, I am sure he will never forget this Christmas."

—Give How to Christmas Basket Fund—

NEW MURDER PROBE FOLLOWS SUICIDE

Orford, N. H., Dec. 7.—The suicide of Frederick C. Bedell, after he had been questioned regarding the killing of the aged brothers, John and Charles Davis here a month ago, stimulated investigation of the murders today. Bedell had protested his innocence of any connection with the case.

Differences between the Davises and Bedell, their neighbor, were matters of new inquiry. Finger prints of Bedell, taken at the inquest resumed suddenly last Saturday, were compared with those taken at the Davis home.

Car Crashes Into Yard of Home

Lynn Family Barely Escapes Being Wiped Out by Derailment

NARROW ESCAPE FOR FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. William A. McKenzie and their home in Lynn, showing how derailed freight car after crossing road plunged into their yard and stopped within a few inches of their bedroom, where they were with their little daughter.

CAR NEARLY HITS LYNN HOME; 3 IN PERIL

A few inches separated three persons from death when a freight car imbedded itself in soft earth in the front yard of the home of Mr. and Mrs. William McKenzie, on Orchard street, West Lynn, today.

Four cars had broken loose from a train of twenty-four as the engine started pulling them out of the Bennett street yards of the Boston & Maine Railroad.

Gathering speed on a down grade, the four runaways leaped the track. Three stopped a short distance from the rails. The other tore through the middle of Orchard street.

Striking the curb with a tremendous crash, the car flipped through a fence and headed straight for the sleeping chamber where McKenzie and his wife watched terror stricken. With them was their daughter, Winifred.

The wheels and fencing dug into the ground and the car creaked and halted about ten inches from the front walls.

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KID McCOY, FORMER RING IDOL, BANKRUPT

Kid McCoy

Los Angeles, Dec. 7.—Norman Selby, known in the boxing world as Kid McCoy, motion picture actor and eight times a husband, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court here. He listed his liabilities at $9,056.87 and his assets as $200, or three good suits of clothes.

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McNARY APPEALS CONTEMPT FINE

Attorney William G. Dunstan, representing William S. McNary, and Attorney Fred J. M. Sheenan representing Henry Chmielinski, appeared in Supreme Court today to file exceptions to fines of $250 imposed on McNary and Chmielinski for alleged contempt of court in writing letters to Attorney-General Allen's special Grand Jury which investigated the closed Hanover Trust Company.

$70,000 SPENT IN BAY STATE BOOZE FIGHT

Fights for and against "booze" in the State campaign cost $70,000 in round numbers, according to returns filed with the Secretary of State today.

Anti-saloon forces spent more than $48,000; the "wets" more than $21,000.

The issue was the referendum whether Massachusetts should adopt a State Volstead act. The "wets" won, the referendum being voted down by a majority of more than 100,000.

Against the referendum the Constitutional Liberty League filed return of expenditures of $15,312. The Political Committee in Massachusetts of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, Inc., spent $5,300.

The Massachusetts Anti-Saloon League campaign committee, on the "dry" side" spent $23,521. Citizens' Alliance spent $24,532.

Some well-known contributors to the campaign fund of the Constitutional Liberty League (against the referendum) included: William M. Wood, president American Woolen Company, $60; Treasurer Edwin Farnham Greene of Pacific Mills $50; William A. Gaston, Democratic candidate for United States Senator, $50; A. G. Van Nostrand, $10; Ex-Speaker Grafton D. Cushing, $10; Philip L. Spalding, telephone official, $25; Hugh Bancroft, $25; C. W. Barron, $25; Mrs. Curtis Guild, $50; James J. Phelan, $100; Ralph Hgnblower, $100; Henry Hornblower, $100; Hornblower & Weeks, $150; F. L. Higginson, Jr., (Clemenceau host), $100.

Some contributors to the two organizations campaigning on the prohibition side included:

C. O. Blood (loan), $1,000; C. O. Blood Company, $250; J. P. Blood, $500; W. A. Thibodeau, $100; Ex-Governor Foss, $275; R. R. Robinson, $500; Roger W. Babson, $100.

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U. S. SUES S. S. CO. FOR $15,000 MAIL LOSS

The Federal government today filed suit for $15,000 against the United Fruit Company for alleged failure to make good the theft of $6,300 from registered mail carried on the steamship Pastores. Seven registered letters, each containing $1,000 in one dollar bills, sent by the New York City Bank to its Cuban branch, were removed from the mail bag somewhere between New York and Havana in November, 1920, and $6,300 stolen.

HER BARE KNEES CAUGHT FANCY OF BREWSTER

New York, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Eleanor V. V. Brewster, second wife of Eugene V. Brewster, millionaire publisher, bared her heart today, revealing intimate secrets of the strange household where her husband brought Corliss Palmer (the intended third wife), film beauty prize winner, to share their home.

Miss Palmer's bare knees with rolled down socks first caught her husband's attention, she says.

The birth of his four-year-old son, Virgil, caused Brewster to change his attitude of romantic affection for her, Mrs. Brewster said.

After the boy's birth, she asserted, her husband told her that he wished she had not become a mother, and that looking at her in the role of mother had dulled the edge of his romantic affection for her.

Mrs. Brewster, who looks scarcely a day more than 20, spoke in the silvery, modulated voice of a woman of culture. She said:

ROLLED DOWN STOCKINGS.

"It was Miss Palmer's rolled-down stockings and bare knees that first attracted Mr. Brewster's attention. She admitted that herself one day. When she was asked why she went around with her stockings rolled down below the calves of her legs, Mr. Brewster reported Miss Palmer as responding:

"If it hadn't been for my bare knees Mr. Brewster would never have noticed my face."

Mrs. Brewster resumed:

"It is no wonder I had to order the girl out of my home. Mr. Brewster had told me before I noticed it myself that the girl was jealous of me.

"Brewster's reported statements concerning the manner of his meeting his second wife, moved her to say:

THE FIRST MEETING.

"I was with my mother and sisters at Saratoga on a vacation when Mr. Brewster came out with others at the invitation of my sister, Marie. I was introduced to him by Mrs. Frederick Percival of Brooklyn. Mr. Brewster said, with his eyes almost popping out of his head:

"Where have you concealed this wonderful girl till now? The gates of Heaven have opened and dropped out an angel."

Mrs. Brewster added:

"He said that he was worn out with work and was about to take a trip to Bermuda."

SECOND-HAND COMPLIMENTS.

"He told me he was tempted to sell his ticket, so that he would not have to be separated from me, but he finally went and sent me daily letters that he wrote aboard the boat.

"They were wonderfully romantic, just like his florid conversations.

"When I was packing his things for him, I found where he got all the high-flown compliments he then showered on me and which he is now showering on Miss Palmer. I found among his papers, in his own handwriting, a list of complimentary remarks about and to women, which he had noted down in his wide reading, adding to the list from day to day."

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INNOCENT IN FILTHY JAILS

Commissioner Bates Scores Unsanitary Lockups and Asks Right to Inspect

A demand for authority to inspect police stations, jails and houses of corrections in the hope of preventing innocent, or even guilty people, from being incarcerated amid filthy and unsanitary conditions was made today by State Commissioner of Corrections Sanford Bates in his annual report to the Legislature.

"Occasional complaints are made to this office as to the condition of local lockups," he said. "Many of the people detained in these lockups are innocent of the crime charged.

"We must never overlook the fact that a tremendous amount of harm may be done to the innocent person on account of an enforced detention under unhealthy or improper surroundings."

Bates renewed again the plea to abandon the Charlestown State Prison and to establish a new State Prison at some place to be selected by the Legislature.

Not only is the old prison antiquated and generally unfit in which to care for prisoners, he said, but it occupies land worth $700,000, while a more suitable tract for prison work could be bought in another section of the State for $25,000.

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30,000 R. R. WAY MEN GET WAGE INCREASE

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Wage increases totalling approximately $1,200,000 annually for 30,000 maintenance of way employes of the Pennsylvania Railroad system, have been granted, John G. Rodgers, vice-president of the Northwestern region of the Pennsylvania, announced today.

The increases ranged from 1 cent an hour for carpenters', painters' and masons' helpers, to 5 cents an hour for assistant bridge and building foremen, and will be retroactive to November 1.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON DAMAGED BY CRASH

London, Dec. 7 (By Associated Press).—The steamer George Washington was damaged by her collision with the British steamer Clyne Rock near Goodwin sands in the Strait of Dover last night, but was able to proceed on her journey, according to advices from Deal today. The extent of the damage to the George Washington, which was bound from Plymouth for Bremen, is unknown. The Clyne Rock was assisted into Dover with her stem badly cracked.

Wrote Ardent Notes

MRS. MADELINE M. GRON.

She listens coolly in Portland court while her love letters to her husband were read and then explained that she really loved him at the time they were written.

HUSBAND A LUXURY, SHE SAYS

Listens Coldly While Her Ardent Love Letters to Diplomat Are Read

Portland, Me., Dec. 7.—Her Danish diplomat-husband was a luxury extravagant even for a millionairess, according to Mrs. Madeleine Masters Gron, who was under cross-examination today.

The beautiful sculptress told how she was dunned for her husband's personal expenses, including his tailor, restaurant and club bills.

"My husband used to send flowers to a nursemaid we had, but he was not able to pay his own bills," said Mrs. Gron.

Love letters as ardent and fiery as the poetic Dane himself wrote, were read today, from Mrs. Gron to her husband from whom she is seeking freedom.

Attorney Frank A. Morey, counsel for Gron, read through the pile of delicately tinted, femininely fragrant love letters. Mrs. Gron, elegantly gowned and cloaked in rich fur, listened impassively to her soul-revealing missives being interpreted in the deep masculine voice.

ARDENT LOVE NOTES.

Occasionally she leaned forward and corrected in a cool tone some mispronounced French quotation, or translated some illegibly written word. The letters were written when Nelis Gron was on his various international missions in European countries. Passages follow:

"My Darling, I love you so desperately that it hurts me physically to think of you. When sweet music is being played I cannot bear not having you with me.

"My life is impossible without you. I long for you every hour that I am conscious. Tell me where you want me to go and I shall join you in any part of the world. Wherever you are, my dearest love, I can be happy. You are the only future I can look forward to."

Mrs. Gron's letters contain much literary discussions, showing that she and her husband had the same intellectual interests. They sent each other marked copies of classic books and apparently took great delight in discussing them together from opposite sides of the world.

"MOST WONDERFUL LOVER."

"Let us live, dear heart, so that that worst separation will not grow upon us as it does upon so many

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U. S. ATTITUDE PUTS TURKS IN QUANDARY

Angora, Dec. 7 (By the Associated Press).—The Turkish Nationalist government has decided that it cannot accept the continuance in Turkey of consulates or postoffices of any power at war with Turkey.

Lausanne, Dec. 7 (By the Associated Press).—The Turkish delegates to the Near East conference today faced the difficult problem of deciding whether Turkey, in formulating her plan for control of the Dardanelles, should cast her lot with Russia or with the entente powers and the United States.

Turkey's suggestions for the solution of the perplexing straits question will be made public tomorrow at the Hotel du Chateau.

Ismet Pasha and his associates, in formulating their plans, were confronted by the sharp differences in opinion between Great Britain and Russia in the discussion of the Dardanelles question.

If Turkey, on the one hand, goes over to the British camp, she fears the irate Russian army on her eastern frontier, if, on the other hand, she sides with Russia in demanding complete control of the waterway, she fears the British navy in the straits.

The Turks were greatly impressed by the plan presented by Marquis Curzon yesterday on behalf of the entente, which was approved in general by the statement of the position of the United State.

The Turks apparently cannot forget that Russia is Turkey's traditional enemy and that Premier Lenine's government may be not less covetous of Constantinople and the straits than was Russia in the days of the czars.

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GIRL, 14, SAVES 90-YEAR-OLD GRANDFATHER

Nancy Boles, fourteen years old, dashed to the attic and rescued her ninety-year-old grandfather, Thomas O'Loughlin, when their home at No. 18 Verdale street, Brookline, burned today. Groping down the smoke-filled stairway, leading the aged man by the hand, the little heroine herself collapsed.

Her mother, Mrs. Anna Boles, came to the rescue and, picking up the girl in her arms, led the grandfather to safety.

Nancy Boles.

The grandfather, who is able to go up and down stairs only with difficulty, owes his life to the girl, her mother declared. Nancy's first thought, when smoke began to pour through the house, she said, was of her grandfather and, without a thought of the danger, she went at once to his rescue.

The fire, believed to have been caused from the furnace, mounted rapidly through the house. Damage is estimated at $2,000.

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CARDINAL TO BE 63 TOMORROW

William Cardinal O'Connell, archbishop of Boston, dean of the Roman Catholic heirarchy in America and one of the leading churchmen of the world, will be sixty-three years old tomorrow.

The day has double significance for Catholics of the Boston Archdiocese because it is the feast of the Immaculate Conception and a holy day of obligation.

REVEAL JOKERS IN BLUE SKY LEGISLATION

A pair of big loopholes in the present Blue Sky Law through which grasping stock salesmen can crawl to unload phoney stock upon the people, were today exposed by the State Department of Public Utilities in its annual report to the Legislature.

One of these jokers in the law allows any corporation to unload its stock on the people for seven days while the department is determining whether it is the sort of stock that the people could buy in relative safety. The department asked for a new law to allow it to suspend the sales of stock in that seven-day period.

It is also found, the department said, that a transient salesman can come into the State, make his sales and then decamp, unless the police are quick enough to get out a warrant for him. The department asked for power to arrest without a warrant.

The department insisted again that a law should be passed to prohibit gas and electric corporations from buying materials from the holding companies which control them. It asked also for another law to prohibit the corporations from banking their funds with banks which either they control or control them.

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CURLEY WANTS FLAG IN ALL PUBLIC HALLS

The absence of the American flag at a meeting held last Saturday night in Symphony Hall in behalf of recognition of Soviet Russia, and the consequent protest made by John L. MacDonald, former commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, has led Mayor Curley to urge John M. Casey, chief of the licensing division, to adopt a regulation requiring all licensed halls to display the flag whenever a public meeting is held.

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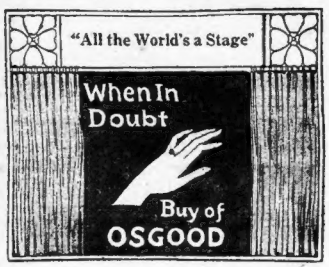

After the Engagement Ring? The "Hope Chest"

The story of the first "Hope Chest" is a pretty one. Pandora, a character of Mythology, was given a box containing all the blessings Life can bestow, but was cautioned not to open it. Alas! she became curious, lifted the lid, and the winged blessings flew away with the exception of Hope, which had been placed at the bottom of the chest and remained to comfort her.

The "Hope Chests" of today are generally red cedar chests and each year with the approach of Christmas we have many demands for them. We carry the Genuine **Tennessee Mountain Red Cedar Chests,** and to encourage early shopping we are making the following attractive offer:

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'Liphet Buck hed quite a expeerence in Boston last woke. He hed never bin thar befoar en he wanted tew git back tew the South Station. A peerliss man tole him ter foller the krowd heded thet way, en he dun it, en tha awl went inter Raymond's. He wuz awful glad, fer he hed bin needin a new hat, not a gittin one sinse he bot his troosoo when he gut married the yere Cleveland wuz nominated the last time. He gut a dandy, en sum three dollar pants en a kouple or neckties. Then he gut hiz whiskers shaved off, soze his neckkle wood show, en hiz wife didn't no him when he kum home. She liked it tho, but the dog bit him in the bak dore ez he kum in, a thinkin it wuz a buke agent.

Sum stores sa, "our incomparable basement bargains," Raymond's sez "gude pikin in the unconstrained sullier." In one place yer pay fer a lot yew don't git, in the tother yew git a lot yew don't hev ter pay much fer.

Jak Freeman iz under the dokters kare. He went shoppin en hed tew koff up forty dolers fer a sute, en then saw one pooty near like it fer twenty-five whar yew bot the hat. He sez koffin up like that hearts wusser'n Sam Hill.

A penny saved is a penny erned, but yew are apt tew save menny a penny bi spendin yore munny whar yew bot the hat.

MORE SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Homely Overcoats, sum aint so homely. Big Overcoats, sum aint so big. Short Overcoats, sum aint so short; an sum pooty near pooty Sum FIFTEEN DOLLARS, sum aint. SUITS Same Way.

A few thousand leather Jerkins FIRSTS (not reclaimed) $2.50 while they last.

MORE HATS

95c 1.45 2.00 and 2.50

65c

MORE SHOES MORE RUBBERS

Lot of Women's Moccasins, all sizes up to 7 ..... **1.25**

Men's, Boys' and Little Men's High Cut Lace Storm Boots, buckle tops for heavy weather, skating or snow wear.

MORE High Lace Boots for children, sizes up to two, some black, some dark mahogany and some are Goodyear welts **1.95**

MORE Women's Rubbers, not all sizes but great value **25c**

MORE Men's Wool Boot combinations with one buckle, perfection **2.95**

MORE Men's House Slippers, felt, kid and goat leather,

1.00 1.50 2.00 2.95

TRUNKS, BAGS and SPORTING GOODS

Student Bags	1.25	Sweat Shirts	95c
Fitted Week-End Suit Cases	6.00	Skis	7.50 to 27.50
Walrus Suit Cases, 24 in.	10.00	Sleds, Snow King	1.50 to 5.50
Cowhide Traveling Bags, 18 in., leather lined	5.95	Snow Shoes	4.75 to 8.50

BOYS' CLOTHING

More Boys' Mackinaws, lot heavy, dark plaids; strong coats, well made; 8 to 18 sizes . . . 5.75

2 other lots Boys' Mackinaws, good coats but large sizes, 14-16-18.

3.25 and 4.95

BOYS' OVERCOATS

3 to 8: **3.95 to 9.75** — 10 to 17: **7.95 to 15.75**

Juvenile Suits, for little fellars, lot button on serges, part wool; 2½ to 6 sizes **95c**

Peter Pan Tweed Middle Suits, 4 to 9 sizes **2.75**

BOYS' GOLF STOCKINGS, heavy 60% wool, heather and gray with fancy tops; all firsts; 6½ to 10 sizes. Pair **45c**

Boys' Pants, corduroy and part wool mixtures, 7 to 17.

95c and 1.45

Boys' Sweaters, hundreds, all kinds and styles,

2.25 to 5.75

More Boys' Union Suits,

95c to 1.35

Boys' Blouses, Little Friend, percales; yoke back, open cuffs; 6 to 15 ..... **65c**

MEN'S UPSTAIRS EASY BASEMENT

Lot of heavy blue denim, double knee, Men's Overalls. All sizes 1.75

Plenty Men's White Duck Coats, Pants and Aprons, Jumpers, Butcher Coats, Frocks and Overalls, Beach Jackets, Sheep Lined Coats, Odd Vests, Men's Reefers.

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"MONTICELLO" WHITE BLANKETS—All wool filling, 72x82. Pair **7.50**

"MONTEREY" WHITE BLANKETS—All wool filling, 72x80. Pair **7.50**

"SONOMA" WHITE BLANKETS—Warranted all wool, 72x82. Pair **9.50**

AUSTRALIAN COTTON PLAID BLANKETS—Size 66x80. Pair **3.75**

MORE BED SPREADS

"ESMOND" BATH ROBE BLANKETS—72x50, with cords. Each **4.50**

"WHITTENDON" BATH ROBE BLANKETS—70x86, with cords. Each **3.75**

"ESMOND" BLANKET COMFORTABLES—Indian and figured patterns, 2 sizes, 86x80 and 72x84. Each ..... **4.00—4.50**

GRAY CAMP BLANKETS—60x82, 60% wool. Each **2.75**

GRAY AND KHAKI ALL-WOOL CAMP BLANKETS—66x90. Each ..... **5.00—6.00**

WOOL PLAID AUTO RUGS—54x76. Each **5.50**

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NEGUS TAPESTRY COUCH COVERS—Regular size. Each 2.25, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.50

TAPESTRY COUCH COVERS—Each, **8.00 to 12.50**

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"BATES" SCALLOPED SATIN DAMASK BED SETS—For double beds; 3 sizes, 78x88, 80x90 and 88x98, with one-piece sham. Set 6.00, 7.50, 8.50

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FRINGED, SCALLOPED OR HEMMED CROCHET BED SPREADS—Full bed size. Choice, each **3.00**

SCALLOPED OR HEMMED CROCHET BED SPREADS—Full bed size. Choice, each **2.50**

MORE HEMMED CROCHET BED SPREADS — Full size. Each ..... **1.75—2.25**

STAGE STARS TO MEET PATRONS OF BOARDWALK

Patrons of the Atlantic City Boardwalk Exposition at Mechanics Hall will have a chance to meet their favorite stage stars tomorrow afternoon, when a group of actors and actresses from the leading Boston theatres attend a "Theatrical Tea" on the raised boardwalk stage in the main hall.

Among those who have promised to attend are Elsie Janis, now appearing at Keith's Theatre; Mary Nash and Wallace Eddinger of "Captain Applejack"; Frank Tinney of "Daffy Dill," and May Yokes and Ann Morrison of "The Bat."

The stars will form a receiving line on the platform and will hold an informal reception to meet and chat with any of the patrons of the exposition who care to come up. They will then be served with tea in the "Hut."

Considerable interest is being drawn to the booth of the Animal Rescue League in the hall. A large doll house, completely furnished, and worth $150, is to be given away at the end of the exposition to one of three children's hospitals, and patrons are invited to vote which hospital shall receive it, at ten cents a vote.

When the contest is concluded, the house will be turned over to the winning institution for its little inmates to play with.

One of the crowning features of the last day of the Boardwalk on Saturday will be a number of classical dance interpretations by pupils of Miss Lottie Edwards of No. 61 Cottage Park road, Winthrop.

One of the most interesting of these will be the "Dying Swan" number which will be given by Jane Foley, who will interpret it after the manner of Pavlowa, the noted Russian dancesse.

Victim of Thieves

FRIEDA HEMPEL

FRIEDA HEMPEL LOSES $25,000 IN THEFT

New York, Dec. 7.—Police today were trying to trace the thieves that entered the apartment of Frieda Hempel, singer, and made away with jewelry, silverware, wearing apparel and art objects valued at $25,000.

The most valuable article listed in the loot of the thieves was a $10,000 chinchilla fur wrap, which Miss Hempel had purchased last Summer in Paris. She is broken-hearted over the loss of the wrap.

Miss Hempel had been in Boston for a concert and returned to find her apartment ransacked. Miss Hempel's husband is William B. Kahn, exporter and banker.

Miss Hempel said that part of her loss was covered by insurance. She was wearing her famous rope of pearls on her concert tour and the bulk of her other valuable jewelry reposed in downtown safety deposit vaults. The articles taken in the raid were of nominal value.

SCHUMANN-HEINK GREATLY IMPROVED

New York, Dec. 7.—Madame Schumann-Heink, ill of bronchial pneumonia at her home in Garden City, L. I., was greatly improved today. Her physician said she now appears to have a good chance of recovery.

Wife Had to Clean Up After Poker Party; Asks Divorce

When friend husband brings his male friends home to play a game of penny ante and leaves the cigarette butts for his wife to sweep up, it constitutes extreme cruelty, according to Mrs. Helen Willis of Weston.

Mrs. Willis appeared in the East Cambridge court to ask a divorce from Nelson Willis of North Acton, saying that Willis was cruel in this way. The case was to be resumed today.

MAY ISOLATE STUDENT AUTO BAND

Springfield, Dec. 7.—Girl companions of the high school boy automobile thieves caught with seventy-five stolen cars in "petting parties" may be placed with their youthful sweethearts in an independent high school for junior students.

The school committee, on recommendation of Superintendent James H. Van Sickle, has made provision for the high school annex for all coming under this heading.

Superintendent Charles Warner of Technical High School is known to be conducting an investigation to learn the identity of these girls. In a speech to the student body he deplored the "disgrace to the school" and said the "girls are just as bad as the boys."

All told there are believed to have been nine girls who were favored by the secret society, which accused boys say was formed for the purpose of stealing machines to entertain their co-ed favorites. The nine or ten boys are charged with unlawful appropriation of twelve automobiles in all.

The youngsters involved range in age from sixteen to eighteen years, children of some of the city's best, it is understood, all were the known citizens.

DELIVERIES OF CITY COAL BEGAN TODAY

A steady stream of customers are purchasing the coal offered by the city at $14.50 a ton. The cold weather has stimulated business.

Sixteen hundred tons of semi-anthracite coal has been sold in the first three days for $21,715.80. Deliveries will begin today in Charlestown first. The Albany street yards will start delivering tomorrow.

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Paving the way for the New Year. Carload after carload, every piece of Furniture in this great store is included; there is no exception—Rugs, Linoleums, Lamps, Stoves, Furniture, Heaters and Talking Machines. The job of clearing out this tremendous stock must be done at this opportune time, when the Christmas crowds are buying.

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GENUINE 2-TONE WALNUT 4-PIECE SUITE. $300 VALUE. COMPLETE FOR $189

A splendid style looking suite, that all will admire. The extra large full vanity case dresser is a beautiful and useful piece for any bedroom. The bed is full size with the fanciful two-for-board; graceful panel effect. The chiffonier has ample drawer space and the full size vanity mirror most conveniently. Built to last a lifetime. A genuine two-tone walnut-finish four piece complete. $300 value. Its this sale. $189

QUEEN ANNE DINING ROOM OUTFIT. 6 PIECES FOR $65.50

No other model is better liked generally than this classic Queen Anne period. The graceful buffet is spacious without being cumbersome, the Extension Table with the characteristic cabriole legs is substantial yet attractive, the 6 chairs and Arm Rocker are full size, well upholstered in genuine leather. Built by our best craftsmen with finely figured American walnut veneers.

Pillow Arm, Loose Cushion

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Real spring construction throughout—a distinctly high-class suite in every particular, upholstered in genuine verdure tapestry or tapestry and velour; spring arm, seat, spring edge, spring back, and loose spring cushion—durable and amazingly comfortable. An exceptional leader for this big sale. $112.50

$2.00 Weekly

Dining Table and 4 Chairs Genuine Walnut $52.50

A remarkable value. Extension Table with extra leaf, four slip seat chairs upholstered in blue or brown.

3-PIECE OUTFIT EXACTLY AS SHOWN! $98

This Complete 9-Pc. Bedroom Outfit $98—Bed, Bureau, Chiffonier—For

$2.00 Weekly

The lowest price on record for a Bedroom outfit of this splendid quality. Full size bed, good size bureau and chiffonier, well made and finished in American walnut, including chair and rocker, spring, mattress and two pillows—the nine pieces complete in this sale for $98

4-Piece $100 Massive Parlor Set With Library Table $52.50

$1.00 Weekly

This bargain offer breaks all value-giving records—think of it! Set with extra 5-ft. divan, chair and Rocker, upholstered splendidly one attractive tapestry, together with a handsome self-contained extra Rocker Desk table. THE ENTIRE 4 PIECES PRICED SPECIALLY AT 52.50.

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A value that speaks for itself, at just the time you want a good kitchen range. Guaranteed to give satisfaction $47

Massive 2-in. Post Brass Bed with Spring and Our Famous "Slumberland" Mattress $34.50

$1.00 Weekly

This $65 outfit is the biggest bargain we have ever offered. Guaranteed solid vest Lacquered Bed in handsome ribbon finish. National Spring and our famous "Slumberland" mattress. Can be had in all sizes

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COMPARE THE QUALITY—Three restful pieces, made to our own strict specifications. This suite is a rich two-tone combination, choice of several rare colors. Strong seats, arms and backs. Exceptionally beautiful in the kind of oversuffed furniture we can conscientiously sell at $106 and more. $47

BEDDING TABLES MARKED DOWN

Choice of many finishes and styles.

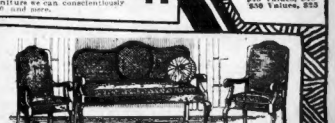
$20 Values, $16
$30 Values, $25
$40 Values, $30
$50 Values, $35

MODIFIED ITALIAN DINING ROOM SUITE, BEAUTIFUL FLORENTINE FINISH—10 PIECES COMPLETE FOR $189

One of the most remarkable bargains of the sale. 10 pieces complete, including a massive, striking, 66-inch Buffet, an oblong Extension Table, handsome China Cabinet, Serving Cabinet, Arm Chair and 6 Side Chairs. The chairs upholstered in a choice of fine coverings. The beautifully figured Florentine finish makes this fine dining room suits beautiful beyond description. The modified Italian design is one of the most fashionable and in greatest demand today. The workmanship is superb, each and every piece finely carved, making this a most amazing offer. 10 pieces complete. $189.

Genuine American Walnut Dining Room Suite $107

Values like these make Morgan's Boston's leading low-priced furniture store—ask anybody. This fine suite is a Queen Anne reproduction in genuine walnut; handsome buffet, stylish new oblong table and four chairs with genuine leather seats. $2 Weekly.



THIS FINE THREE-PIECE SUITE, QUEEN ANNE DESIGN $79

A surprisingly comfortable and fashionable set, including the sofa, arm chair and rocker, upholstered in a variety of fine fabrics. The suite is especially well made with a high piano mahogany finish with cane backs. About Half Price, at $79.

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At Savings of 20% to 40%

As manufacturing wholesale and retail jewelers, **Jason Weiler & Sons** have been able to complete an extraordinary purchase of highest grade Wrist Watches at **special price concessions**—due to the heavily overstocked condition of several well-known makers. The splendid savings are now turned over to our customers.

14-K. Solid White Gold Wrist Watch

This high grade 14-k. Solid White Gold Watch is a 15-jeweled guaranteed accurate timekeeper. Richly hand-carved case. Silk ribbon with adjustable white gold clasp. Money refunded if this fine watch can be duplicated elsewhere for less than $30.00. Our price..... $17.50

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Waltham

New Cushion Shape

This guaranteed accurate Waltham watch has a rich gold dial. Regularly $30.00. This sale only.... $22.75

14k Solid Gold

White or Green Gold

This beautiful, thin cushion model Watch has a richly carved 14k. solid white or green gold case. 15-jeweled guaranteed accurate movement. Regularly $37.50—this sale.... $25

This 15-Jeweled Wrist Watch

with either convertible style bracelet or silk ribbon. It dealed This fine 15-jeweled movement, guaranteed—20 year gold filled case. Regular-ly $17.00; this sale $10.50

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Platinum & Diamonds

Perfectly cut blue white diamonds, embedded in platinum, 17-jewel, high grade, guaranteed movement. $175.00 value. $127.00 This sale..... $127.00

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WIFE DIVORCED FROM FORMER POLICEMAN

During the entire married life of George F. Ryan, former Boston policeman, he gave his wife only $121. And later he took the $121 away from her.

So declared Mary Ryan, the wife, who was today granted a divorce by Chief Justice Hall in Suffolk Superior Court, divorce session, for alleged cruel and abusive treatment.

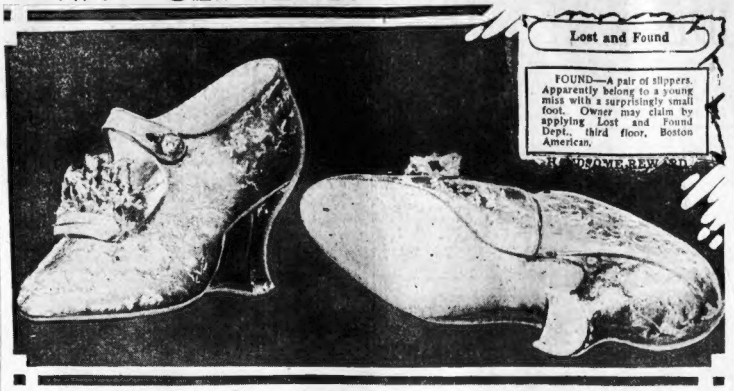
Mrs. Ryan said that he sometimes got drunk and choked and beat her and that he refused to pay hospital bills for her when she gave birth to a child.

LYNN STUDENTS OVERCOME BY GAS

Philip and Hymen Saklofsky, high school students, were found unconscious from gas in their room at No. 94 Commercial street, Lynn, today by their mother. They were rushed to the Lynn Hospital and will recover. They had been overcome by gas that had escaped through leaky pipes.

The boys were overcome while asleep. Their plight was discovered by their mother, who had noted the leaking fumes. Police pulmotors were used as first aid before the youths were sent to the hospital.

TINY SLIPPERS AWAIT OWNER


Lost and Found
FOUND—A pair of slippers. Apparently belong to a young miss with a surprisingly small foot. Owner may claim by applying Lost and Found Dept., third floor, Boston American.

LOST, A PAIR OF FEET TO GET INTO THESE STUDDED SLIPPERS

Here's a pair of slippers looking for a pair of feet. To whom do they belong, to whom? The accompanying waif ad has been run in advertising columns of the American, but so far the mystery remains unsolved. The slippers are not much to the way of size, but they're all there on style. They are fashioned of gold brocade. The heels are studded with rhinestones and a rhine stone buckle holds an impudent frill of lace in its place. Taken all in all, they are certainly the reindeers' jingle bells.

BOYS WHO STOLE BASKET FUNDS JAILED

Nine boys were before Judge Hayden in Roxbury Juvenile Court today charged with breaking and entering stores in the vicinity of the Dudley street Elevated terminal. Among them were John Gill of Dudley street, Bernard Doyle and Roy McDougall of Warren street.

All were charged with entering the Mohican Market at No. 2153 Washington street and stealing two boxes containing contributions to the Boston American's Christmas Basket Fund. Boyle and McDougall were also charged with entering three other stores. All were found guilty.

Boyle and McDougall were sentenced to indeterminate periods in the Lyman School and Gili was placed on probation.

Joseph Mears, William Ryan, Walter Brennan were all sentenced to the Lyman School for breaking and entering stores, but Ryan's sentence was suspended. A similar case against William Hayden was continued four months and Joseph Fitzsimmons was placed on probation. William Thornton was arraigned on the same charge, but was discharged by the court.

More than twenty-five small stores in the vicinity of the Dudley street terminal have been broken open during the past month and the police believe that the boys arraigned in court today have been the perpetrators of most of these burglaries and that they have now broken up the gang.

—Give Boy to Christmas Basket Fund—

Couzens Takes Oath

Washington, Dec. 7 — James Couzens, Detroit, appointed by Governor Groesbeck of Michigan to succeed former Senator Newberry, took the oath of office today in the Senate.

GINTER'S
"CASH and CARRY"
You SAVE While You SPEND
You see before you buy; pay only for what you get; take your purchases with you; and make a worthwhile saving on everything.

BUTTER 49c Lb. — Finest Quality Whole Milk Butter
CHEESE White or Young America Type Lb. 32c
EGGS "Pine Grove" Fine Western 47c Dz.
"Wm. Elliot" Selected Fresh 73c Dz.
TEAS "Golden Rose" Finest Selected, Delicious Flavor, Air-Tight Package Oolong, Mixed or English Breakfast, Lb. 45c (ORANGE PEKOE CEYLON. Our Price Lb. 55c)
Coffee "Golden Rose" Lb. 31c — Coffee "John Alden" Lb. 39c — A CHOICE OLD COFFEE AT POPULAR PRICE — Perfect Blend of Finest Old Crop Coffees
Ketchup "Golden Rose" 3 for 70c Pint Bot. 24c
Peanut Butter Parrot Quality Lb. 14c
Peas "Golden Rose" Fancy Sweet Sifted Can 23c
Peaches Standard Calif. Heavy Syrup Can 24c
Rice Fancy Blue Rose 3 Lbs. for 17c
"Sunshine" Cocoanut Crisp Lb. 19c
Quaker Oats Large Pkg. 23c Small Pkg. 10c
Parsons' Ammonia Large 35c Med. Size 21c
Ralston's Whole Wheat Breakfast Food Large Pkg. 22c
Bacon Mesh, Sliced Without Rind Lb. 35c
Macaroni or Spaghetti "Golden Rose" Pkg. 9c
Lard Pure, Cut from Tub Lb. 16c
Kirkman's Borax Soap Bar 5 1-2c
Pork Heavy-Medium Fat Backs Lb. 17c
Ivory Soap Flakes 3 Pkgs. 25c
Molasses Fancy Gal. 99c 1-2 Gal. 59c
Raisin Bread "Golden Rose" Fresh Baked Daily in Our Own Bakery LARGE LOAF, SALE PRICE 13c

The GINTER Co.
Grocery Stores Everywhere Boston and Suburbs
Also Eleven Attractive Boston Restaurants

BELIEVE BANKER SAW RECTOR HALL SLAIN

New Brunswick, N. J., Dec. 7.—Detective David of Middlesex County announced today he planned to question a New Brunswick banker, who he believes may have been an eyewitness to the murder of the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall and Mrs. Eleanor R. Mills on September 14.

According to David, the banker has been questioned at least twice, but refused to confirm or deny the story that he was on Phillips farm on the night of the crime. David would not indicate why he wanted to question him further.

According to detectives, the mysterious green car which Mrs. Jane Gibson said she saw on DeCussey's lane the night of the murder has been discovered. They asserted that, while the banker mentioned is not the owner of the machine, he had an agreement with the owner by which he could use it whenever he desired.

Owner Can Claim Them by Calling at Office of American

Paging Trilby!

Where is the lady who lost the smallest pair of slippers in the world? Will she be so kind as to call at the Lost and Found Department of the Boston American and claim the lost slippers?

We don't believe she really wears 'em. We have a sneaking hunch she bought them for ash trays or hair-pin receivers or something. But we'd like to know.

Therefore, if she will ease into No. 80 Summer street and ask for Elmer, who takes care of the losts and founds, she can have the slippers by trying them on. If they fit. Nothing could be fairer than that.

TODAY

Continued from Third Page.

words: "We are glad we are not there." Seven words well chosen, that will be prayerfully indorsed by 90,000,000 of Americans at least.

European nations are trying to make up their minds to stop killing each other. What have we to do with that. Nothing, except to get ready, and keep ready, against the next outbreak.

If that outbreak comes it will find Russia, Germany and Turkey lined up against Western Europe. What three nations of Western Europe will like the job, especially with Turkey in her enthusiastic "comeback?"

THE TARIFF begins to show its "beneficent effects," starting, as usual, in Wall Street. The biggest lead company is "National Lead." A while ago lead, the metal, was selling at four cents a pound. "National Lead" stock was selling around $60 and paying 6 per cent. dividend. A two and a half cents duty on lead put the price up to seven cents. "National Lead" has gone to $114 and is paying 8 per cent. The next step probably will be a stock dividend (that isn't income, you remember, in the wise opinion of the court). Then 8 per cent. will be paid on THAT and, so far as lead is concerned, the tariff will be working nicely.

In spite of these little Wall Street instances, labor in this country must be protected, legitimate industry must be protected, manufacturers, investors and others, and there is no way but the tariff way.

ON A NEWSPAPER page with the announcement that the President will recommend revision of the immigration laws, you see the statement from the Census Department that the birth rate in the United States is declining and the death rate increasing.

This is not encouraging and not a good argument in favor of cutting off immigration. The birth rate for the first half of 1922, by the way, was highest in North Carolina, 30 per thousand; lowest in Vermont, 18.1 per thousand.

The death rate was lowest in the magnificent State of Idaho, only 8.2 per thousand. It was the highest, 15.7 per thousand, in the State of Maine. That is all the more surprising to many who believe in good, pure, cold water, inasmuch as Maine has been a prohibition State for so many years, long ahead of other States. Why should they die?

Houghton & Dutton Company
Tremont and Beacon Streets, Boston 9, Mass. — We Give and Redeem Legal Stamps

Here You Will Find New England's Great Toy World

As soon as you step off the elevator into our Toyland you are greeted by big, fat, funny men with red noses; electric trains running through tunnels and over canals, Santa making his rounds, the great white city all lighted up like Broadway, and everything going in different directions.

Hanging from the ceiling are big owls and queer looking birds that blink their eyes, there are cows that moo, cannon that shoot, and be sure to see "Jazz-bo" doing a jig. In every direction you look there is something new and Oh! what wonderful dolls, hundreds of them, pretty as can be.

In fact every thing from aeroplanes to the "Cat's-Meow." Don't let the children miss this toyland of amazement for anything.

Dolls' Trunks, 2.75 to 5.00
Tool Chests, 1.20 to 12.00
Tables, 1.25 to 3.50
Dolls' Couch Hammocks, 1.75 to 3.00
Children's Chairs, 1.25 to 8.75
Game Boards, 4.50 to 7.25
Teddy Cars, 3.50 and 4.75
Skis, pair, 2.00 to 5.25
Roller Skates, 1.00 and 2.00
Tea Sets, 50c to 3.00
Pianos, 50c to 7.75
White Enamel Furniture, 2.00 to 17.50
Autos, 9.00 to 75.00
Velocipedes, 5.50 to 24.00
Coaster Wagons, 7.00 to 12.50
Mechanical Trains, 1.75 to 7.00
Electric Trains, 6.25 to 50.00
Doll Carriages, 3.50 to 22.00
Desks, 3.25 to 27.25
Iron Toys, 50c to 5.25
Footballs, 1.25 to 7.00
Mama Dolls, 2.25 to 11.00
Shoo-Flys, 2.00 to 8.50
Galloping Horses, 9.50 to 20.00
Combination Skate and Shoe Outfits, 6.50

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THROUGH YOUR NEWSDEALER
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The Billboard
OUT NEXT WEEK
A beautiful cover in colors appropriate to the season. Many interesting illustrations. Many timely information-ative special articles. All the regular departments covering every branch of the show field. All all news dealers.
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Christmas 1922

Everybody Likes to Trade With HAINES

Haines came honestly by its reputation. Our plan of selling meets the approval of all. Big volume, close prices, good merchandise, easy terms, no interest on charge accounts.

The favorite medium priced furniture store of New England. Backed by immense resources and over a half a century of square dealing. It pays to trade with Haines. Why not start tomorrow.

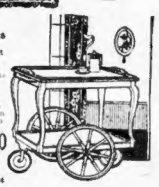
Serving Trays
Large size, beautiful models, finished in mahogany and assortment lined only 2.95

Join Our Christmas Club ONLY $69

Join Our Christmas Club ONLY $69

Kitchen Cabinets
An unusually desirable value. Equipped with all the conveniences to make work easy. Sturdily constructed, pair $39 Convenient Terms

Tea Wagons
All period styles, such as Queen Anne, Renaissance, Chippendale, etc., ranging in price from 15.50 Convenient Terms



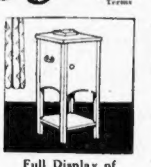
Studivara Phonographs
Stradivara reproduces faithfully with exquisite purity of tone. Will play any records. This handsome design only $69.
$1.00 WEEKLY — $1.00 WEEKLY

Baby Carriages
Finished in the latest shades of blue or ivory, upholstered with best grade of velvet, reed body and hood, extra large size tires and gears. $21 Convenient Terms

Telephone Stands
Here's a beautiful period Telephone Stand in mahogany at the extraordinary low price of only $21 Convenient Terms

Spinet Desks
The desirable piece of furniture lacking to tone up the house. This beautiful Desk only $27 Convenient Terms

Six Silver Spoons
Genuine Silver Plated Set of Six Spoons in a very dainty pattern only 1.29

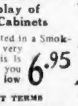


Full Display of Smoking Cabinets
If you are interested in a Smoking Cabinet at a very unusual price, this is the opportunity you seek. Priced as low as 6.95 CONVENIENT TERMS

Latest 14-Karat Gold Ring
Exquisitely designed in beautiful lace work effect, octagon shape. Genuine aquamarine. Only $16 CONVENIENT TERMS

Genuine Rogers Silver
26-Piece Chest of Silver
Genuine Rogers silver, in the popular design. A very handsome case. Consists of 6 knives, 6 forks, 6 spoons, 6 tea spoons, 1 sugar shell, and a butter spreader. All for only $6.95 CONVENIENT TERMS

14-Karat Solid Gold Rings
Handsomely mounted with a fine synthetic red ruby, ladies' or gentlemen's beautifully cut, richly polished. Only 11.50 CONVENIENT TERMS



Our Economy Four-Room Outfit
Consists of Bedroom, Parlor, Dining Room and Kitchen of high-grade, substantial period furniture. For only $395 CONVENIENT TERMS

Visit Our Most Complete Gift Shop
Our Gift Shop is most complete. Here you will find everything new in bric-a-brac, glassware or jewelry.

Mahogany Period Clock
A perfect time-keeper. One of the very newest designs. Eight-day clock. For only 7.50 CONVENIENT TERMS

Davenport Tables
A splendid Queen Anne design, finished in mahogany. A marvelous value at only $19 CONVENIENT TERMS

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726-728-730 Washington St.

BIG SUNDAY VAUDEVILLE SHOW AT ST. JAMES THEATRE DEC. 17

PROCEEDS TO AID CHRISTMAS BASKET FUND

A big Sunday vaudeville show in aid of the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund has been arranged for Sunday evening, December 17, at the St. James Theatre, Huntington and Massachusetts avenues.

The net proceeds of this big show which will be conducted under the personal supervision of Bert A. Spears, one of Boston's leading booking agents, and Georg A. Gliesmanaging director of the Boston Stock Company, now playing at this favorite theatre, will be turned over to the American's Fund for the exclusive purpose of buying food for needy families at Christmas.

Through the courtesy of Manager Giles the free use of the theatre has been granted for this big show. He is personally interested in attempting to alleviate the suffering of impoverished men, women and children in Greater Boston at Christmas.

ALL GIVE SERVICES.

A first class entertainment, including some of the best vaudeville acts appearing before the public, will be arranged through Mr. Spears' office. All those who will take part in the show will contribute their services without cost in order that thousands of needy children may obtain a substantial meal at Christmas.

Popular prices will prevail for the show, as it is the desire that a packed house greet the players. The prices will be 25, 50 and 75 cents. Box seats will be sold at $1 each. Despite the small prices a first class entertainment will be given, one that will be worth many times the cost of admission.

Mr. Spears is one of the best loved booking agents in the United States and has already had scores of offers from talented artists who desire to assist in making the show a tremendous success.

Mr. Spears conducted a similar show for the American's Christmas Basket Fund last year and says that he is glad to do his bit again in relieving distress on the greatest holiday of the year.

Members of the Boston Stock Company now playing at the theatre, in "Daisy," a tremendous comedy hit, have offered their services, and it is expected that many of the regular patrons of the theatre will be present to see their favorites.

BENEFIT DEC. 20.

Art Spaulding, manager of the up-to-date State Theatre Ballroom, on Massachusetts avenue, is making every possible effort to increase the American's Fund by means of a big entertainment and dance in his ballroom on Wednesday evening, December 20. One of the features that he is planning is an augmented orchestra of forty-two pieces to play for dancing. He is arranging with the management of the State Theatre for the use of its regular thirty-piece orchestra at the close of the evening show to join Lambert's orchestra. This will be one of the largest orchestras ever assembled in Boston to play for dancing and will include ten first violins.

In addition, Mr. Spaulding is arranging to secure the services of many of the best vaudeville acts that are billed for Boston during that week. Because of his wide acquaintance among the members of the theatrical profession Mr. Spaulding hopes to make the party at the State Theatre Ballroom one of the biggest events of the season in aid of the American's Fund.

TICKETS FOR BALL.

Miss Helen M. Roche, organist of St. Augustine's Church, South Boston, and Madame Maybelle Lyman, report that the heavy sale of tickets for the ensuing ball and concert in Copley-Plaza Hotel Monday evening, December 18, under their supervision, indicates that one of the largest crowds ever assembled in that magnificent ballroom will be present for their party.

Semi-weekly rehearsals of the seventy-five children, under Madame Lyman's supervision, are being held for "The Christmas Spirit," a pantomime, which will be one of the features of the evening's program.

Jane Loots and Lawrence Lester, talented Everett children, will have feature places on the program. Miss Loots is a charming solo dancer, and Mr. Lester is a clever whistler, singer and dancer. Muriel and Frances Woodward, graceful Brookline sisters, appear in aesthetic dancing numbers. Another beautiful and talented girl who will be featured is Miss Laura Gault of Maynard. Ethel Birnham of Brookline, a clever kiddie with unusual personality, will appear in character numbers. Maren Kerns, assistant director in Madame Lyman's suburban classes, will feature in solo dances.

CONCERT ON COMMON.

An impromptu concert for the purpose of furthering the success of the charity ball and concert may be conducted on the Lafayette Mall, Boston Common, opposite West street early next Saturday afternoon. Many of Madame Lyman's pupils will take part in the affair and will be aided by St. Augustine's Band of South Boston and Bob Sawyer's Jazz Band.

Persons desiring to obtain tickets for the charity ball and concert may get them from these clever kiddies during the course of Saturday's entertainment.

Two singers of unusual ability will appear at the Copley-Plaza affair. They are Nicola Oulukanoff, a Russian baritone with hosts of friends in Greater Boston who remember his frequent appearances with the Boston Opera Company, and Miss Lilian Albert, a talented soprano. Both of these artists, having in mind the great need of assistance among the unfortunate this season, have volunteered their services free of charge, and the Christmas Fund editor knows that a treat is in store for those who will hear them at the Copley-Plaza.

Many Boston firms are aiding the Christmas Fund in various ways. The Stone, Forsyth Company of Kingston street has donated a large amount of twine.

Wright & Ditson in sending in their contribution for $10 hopes "that the children will have the happiest and best Christmas they have ever had."

Frank Irving Cooper of the firm of architects and engineers which bears his name, wrote: "This undertaking which you carry on each year has always seemed to me one of the most worth while things to which Boston citizens are asked to contribute and I take pleasure in enclosing my check as usual."

Harold and Grace Winerip sent in their donation and wrote: "We are sending you $3 for the Christmas Basket Fund and we hope you will all have a happy Christmas. I hope I can do better next year."

Contributions follow:

Boston American	$1,000.00
Previously acknowledged	52,556.07
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hatfield, Kane and Miss A. C. Hatfield from Trustees of Estate of Amelia	638.16
Dorchester Lodge, Knights of America	8.50
Dorchester Heights Council	6.00
Warren A. Whipple	25.00
A. C. Richards	5.00
Mrs. Richard Hall	5.00
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T. Reid	2.00
F. D. H.	1.00
A. F. Hall	5.00
L. E. Young	1.00
Mrs. Joseph Bowen	5.00
Ruth and Gertrude Goldfarb	1.60
Collected at Market Basket	1.75
Collected at Pitman Academy Sunday	4.29
Collected at Nervosa Associates Dance	8.57
Collected at Medford Entertainment	11.69
Hillsley Boulevard	20.00
Mrs. Mary Friend	1.00
A. H. Friend	25.00
Maurice M. Kleiner	5.00
Fourth Ward of Grades No. 14	1.00
F. R. B.	1.00
Hospital Mayor V. Wolfed	10.00
F. F. A.	1.00
Secretary of A. B. Waldo	2.00
John T. Delaney	2.00
George H. Armstrong	1.00
Mrs. Richard Connolly	1.00
Miss Helen M. Roche won on B. C. H. C. football game	12.00
Collected at Lockjaw	200.00
John Hays Hammond	25.00
W. W. W.	5.00
Seamstress' Union No. 97, Boston	5.00
Mrs. C. A. Shea	1.00
P. P. Sheridan	1.00
Mrs. Mary A. Reported son, J. H.	5.00
W. Brooks Fleming	10.00
Collected at Revere Elks and Phalanx Militarean football game	2.00
Collected at Medford Armory	17.23
Collected at Medford Theatre	6.84
Mrs. E. Bowen	13.60
Irving M. Fine	10.00
Fred Guinness	1.00
N. M. Davis	1.00
Francis Riordan	1.00
Clarence F. Bowley	1.00
Dr. Timothy Leary	2.00
Mrs. M. J. Dunleavy	2.00
Charles S. Powell	5.00
In memory of F. P. W.	5.00
Mrs. Frank A. Hadley	5.00
Jeanne Herrington of New York	10.00
Barbara F. Farnum	5.00
Harold and Grace Winerip	3.00
A Friend	5.00
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Frederick F. Volkmann	5.00
Frank Irving Cooper Corporation	5.00
Totals	$4,599.78

—Get How to Christmas Basket Fund——

Fire Heroine

ESTHER ZYKOFSKY.

LYNN GIRL IS HEROINE AS HOUSE BURNS

Six children, ranging in age from two to fifteen, were carried to safety from a smoke-filled house by their sister, Esther Zykofsky, sixteen, and three men neighbors, at a fire at the home of the Zykofskys at No. 2 Bedford street, Lynn, today.

The fire started in the cellar of the house. It was discovered when smoke began to pour through the rooms. The older children were dressing for school. The younger ones were still sleeping.

Esther, the oldest daughter, rushed to waken the sleeping children and hastily dressed them. The children rescued were: Eva, one year old; Mary, thirteen; Simon, eleven; Louis, nine; Max, seven; and Adolia, two.

ALLEN FLATLY DENIES PONZI "TRADE".

Charles Ponzi's assertion that Attorney General J. Weston Allen tried to engineer a "trade" whereby cases against his agents would be dropped if he would plead guilty and accept a short sentence was emphatically denied to the American by the Attorney General today.

"There is no truth whatever in Ponzi's statement," said Mr. Allen. "You can decide for yourself whether the Attorney General of a great State is more worthy of belief than a three-convicted criminal."

The Attorney General also corroborated yesterday's story in the Boston American, which said that he would proceed against Ponzi on the remaining indictments which are pending against him.

To do this, he said, he would probably go to the Superior Court and secure a writ of habeas corpus, so as to bring Ponzi within the jurisdiction of the State courts.

"I never had any conversation with Ponzi from the time the trial opened to its finish," said Mr. Allen. "Judge Fosdick never said a word about a settlement.

"The case was tried solely on its legal merits and on the evidence we had. Ponzi's statement is utterly without foundation."

Telegraph Briefs

Washington. — Representative Hudspeth, Democrat, Texas, has introduced a bill to put a tariff on cattle and stock straying over the border or conveyed for temporary pasturage, unless returned to the United States in twelve months.

Bellingham, Wash.—J. G. Stewart, a neighbor and friend of Abraham Lincoln in Springfield, Ill., is dead at his home in Hamilton, aged eighty-eight years.

Quebec—The Quebec Legislative Assembly is to try a daily prayer. A motion proposed by Nestor Ricard was carried unanimously after a brief debate.

HUSBAND WINS $5,000 VERDICT IN LOVE SUIT

Lowell, Dec. 7.—A verdict for $5,000 was returned today by a Superior Court jury in favor of Elmer Perrigo, formerly of Billerica, in his $25,000 alienation of affection suit against Edgar Twombley.

Twombley has held many town offices in Billerica. Perrigo declared he first obtained evidence that his wife and Twombley had stayed at a hotel by hiding in an empty piano box in which he had bored several peep-holes.

Twombley admitted registering at several hotels with a woman as "Mr. W. F. Gray and wife," but alleged the woman was a Miss Ela Whitehead, a Billerica nurse, who had cared for him during an illness.

Miss Whitehead, who bore a striking resemblance to Mrs. Perrigo, was in court during the first few days of the trial but later disappeared.

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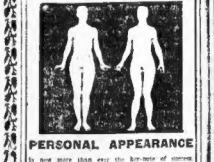

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SCRATCHED FINGER RESULTS IN DEATH

Worker Dies in Hospital After Being Hurt While at Work

SCRATCH ON NECK RESULTS IN DEATH

CUT IN FINGER FATAL TO SIOUX

BLOOD POISON FATAL

LOCKJAW CAUSED BY SPLINTER IN FOOT IS FATAL

Chas. Connaughton's Body to Be Clothed in Altar Boys'

BLOOD POISON KILLS FLORIST

These Lives Could Have Been Saved

One has but to glance at the daily newspapers to be impressed with the appalling number of deaths that are constantly occurring from infection. Any cut, pin prick, abrasion or slight break of the skin, if neglected, may become infected with the germs which cause blood poisoning, gangrene and other serious complications.

The newspaper clippings shown herewith indicate how dangerous neglected cuts and wounds can be. Every one of these lives might have been saved by the prompt application of Zonite.

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Baby Cuts Lip On Vase; Death Results

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 6.—(By A. P.)—Earl Allender Phelps, 13 months old son of Steward Helps, died today while playing with a vase. He had last Thursday afternoon received a cut

PARING CORN KILLS WHEELING MINISTER.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 6.—Rev. W. R. Covert, retired minister, died from blood poisoning

CRATCH OF FINGER NAIL FATAL TO MRS. OL PEARCE

OOD POISONING FROM NAIL SCRATCH CAUSES DEATH OF LOCAL WOMAN.

BOY PRICKS PIMPLE ON FACE; DIES FROM BLOOD POISONING

BLOOD POISONING RESULT OF SCRATCH

SCRATCH CAUSES DEATH OF BOY HURT ON WAGON

Scratched Finger Death

BLOOD POISON FROM SCRATCH PROVES FATAL

H. M. Mendel of Waterto Dies From Effects o Slight Injury

Two Sisters Die From the Poison Of One Pin Pric

Macon, Ga., April 30.—(Spec

The death of Mrs. George W. Bak

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TWO PINNED UNDER CAMBRIDGE TROLLEY

Two men were seriously injured when they were struck by a trolley car on Broadway, Cambridge, while walking across the street. They are in the Cambridge City Hospital, where they gave the names of George Stephens, a former alderman, and Philip Besser of No. 1 Prescott street, Somerville.

POLICE WARNED AS TO COURT CONDUCT

Boston policemen must cease making recommendations to the judge or prosecuting attorney while in court regarding the disposition of their cases and also will not be allowed to reload their revolvers with other cartridges than those furnished by the department, according to general orders read at all roll calls.

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Silk (Full Fashioned)	6.75

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	Per Box
Silk	$2.25
Heavy Silk	3.00
Silk (Full Fashioned)	3.50

WINTER WEIGHT HOLEPROOFS

FOR WOMEN

	Per Pair
Silk and Wool, rib top	$2.00
Silk and Wool, clocked	2.50
Silk and Wool, clocked	3.00

Per box of three pairs

Wool Ribbed	$4.75
Silk and Wool	4.75

FOR MEN

	Per Pair
Silk and Wool	$1.25
Cashmere (Heather mixtures)	2.00

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Fine Cashmere	$2.25
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Miss Frances Smith Makes Society Debut at Ball Tonight, Says Betty Alden

By BETTY ALDEN.

COMING, going or "fleeing"—they're bound to get your money—but it's all for a good cause, so nobody cares.

And then, most of the roving vendors at the Atlantic City Boardwalk Exposition have been chosen for their charm, so that parting with one's wherewithal isn't such an unpleasant task after all.

I must admit that this business of having pretty girls—loaded with all manner of small wares—is most effective. Those who are stationed at the many booths on the Boardwalk can't, of course, leave their posts and pursue the innocent passer-by. In this case, the latter, has, so to speak, a pretty good chance of making a "getaway."

But with the "free lance" vendor! Ah, that's a different story. You step into one "avenue" and someone asks you to buy a doll, a pretty face, a sweet smile and soft words accompanying the plea. If you're made of a heart of stone, you turn into another avenue—dolless—only to find another pretty face, sweet smile and soft words greeting you there. After a while, of course, you give up, and carry home a lot of programs, or dolls, or cigarettes, or flowers, which you really don't need, but didn't after all, mind buying, since everything purchased at the Boardwalk is going to help someone.

MISS GERTRUDE WIGGIN of Brookline did her bit as a strolling vendor by selling cigarettes and candy, her costume being a gorgeous Chinese affair. Practically all the girls who roam about the Boardwalk selling this and that small ware are dressed in costume. Some are Spanish, others Japanese, almost every imaginable costume being represented.

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made of the engagement of Miss Gladys N. Fox of Philadelphia to Charles E. Hodges, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hodges of Boston. Miss Fox is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Russell Fox of Walnut street. Hodges is the brother of Mrs. Fidele Koenig (Mary Hodges), whose marriage took place on the North Shore a year ago last September.

THOSE two clever sisters, the Misses Berthe and Francesca Braggiotti, are holding a sale on the 9th and 30th of this month at their Brookline home at No. 78 Upland road, the hours from 3 until 6.

At this sale, which is for the benefit of war-impoverished women of Italy who are obliged to support themselves, exquisite embroideries, made by these women, may be purchased, as well as other beautiful Italian works.

An admission of one dollar will include tea, and an entertainment of Italian music with songs and dances by the Misses Braggiotti.

MR. AND MRS. B. SUMNER WELLES (Esther Slater) are in Washington at present for the Central American conference and are at the Lafayette Hotel. Mr. Welles is one of the United States representatives at the conference.

MRS. RICHARD T. WILSON, formerly Miss Marion Mason of Boston, and now one of Gotham's most prominent hostesses, gave a luncheon the other day at Pierre's. Her guests included Mr. and Mrs. Griswold A. Thompson, Mrs. Samuel J. Wagstaff, Mrs. Frank C. Henderson, Francesco M. Guardabassi and Mrs. Wilson's young daughter, Miss Louisa Wilson.

MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH LINDON SMITH are presenting their daughter, Miss Frances Smith, at a ball which they are giving tonight at the Hotel Somerset. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, whose Winter home is on Mt. Vernon street, presented their oldest daughter, Miss Rebecca Smith, at a ball given two years ago in the same ballroom of the Somerset.

During the Summer months the Smiths are members of the Boston colony at Dublin, N. H., which harbors a number of well-known artists such as Mr. Smith, whose paintings have won no small recognition. Miss Rebecca Smith has also taken up the art to which her father is devoted, and has already shown a great deal of talent with the brush.

Betty Alden

MISS GERTRUDE WIGGIN

Miss Gertrude Wiggin of Brookline is only one of the many society girls helping at the Atlantic City Boardwalk.

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YOUNG JUDEA PLANS DANCE TO AID WORK

A dance for the purpose of carrying on the work of Young Judaea in Boston will be held Wednesday evening, December 13, at the State Ball Room in Lowe's new State Theatre building on Massachusetts avenue. The local chapter of the national organization has outlined an extensive working program for the coming year among the sixty clubs which it directs. The proceeds of the dance will be devoted exclusively to the advancement of the club activities.

Mrs. E. Tacker

Mrs. E. Tacker is a member of the committee in charge.

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BOY FATALLY HURT WHEN HIT BY TRAIN

Providence, R. I., Dec. 7.—Before the eyes of scores of homeward-bound employes of the Warren Manufacturing Company at Hampton Meadows, Emelio Pezzulo, a young mill operative, was struck by the "Cannon Ball Express" of the Fall River-Providence electric line of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

He was brought to this city on the train. He suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries. Rhode Island Hospital physicians hold out no hope of recovery.

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TRUCK LOSES WHEEL AND TIES UP TRAFFIC

Several pedestrians crossing Washington street at the corner of Summer had a narrow escape from injury when a rear wheel of a heavy truck loaded express team came off and rolled across the street. The team is owned by the Boston-Lowell Express and was in charge of George MacDonald. He was uninjured.

The accident tied up all vehicular traffic along Washington street for

NEW SERUM IS FOUND CURE FOR GANGRENE

By International News Service.

New York, Dec. 7.—A cure for gangrene, the dreaded disease hitherto considered relievable only by amputation, has been found by Dr. Benjamin Jablons, visiting pathologist and consulting physician to several New York hospitals.

The story of the discovery, which took nine years of ceaseless experimentation on two continents, was told by him in an exclusive interview with International News Service.

The first news of this remarkable discovery came when several patients who had suffered major operations, including amputations, were discharged as cured after treatments.

The treatment is made by injecting into the blood of the patient the chemical compound evolved by the pathologist which brings almost instant relief from the excruciating pain.

Over 150 patients have been under treatment and 75 per cent. have been cured. Those whom the treatments did not help were cases where the disease had progressed too far.

"We have been able to relieve a number of cases," said Dr. Jablons.

"Naturally, we have had some failures because no remedy is a positive cure. Treatments may be specifics for certain groups of diseases, but others may have complications that necessitate different handling.

"I spent considerable time in the Balkans, and there I saw impressible sights of horror. Soldiers got gangrenous trench feet, and their legs were cut off as a matter of course. It was there that I first started to search for something that would alleviate their sufferings, and, if possible, save their limbs. The new serum is the result."

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DIET FOR MAN TOO FAT TO PAY ALIMONY

Newark, N. J., Dec. 7.—John Mantz was advised to diet. Because he weighs 250 pounds, he has trouble getting work as a painter, Mantz said today when brought before Vice-Counsellor Church for not paying alimony.

"The fatter I get, the less I earn," said Mantz.

"Diet then," suggested the court, taking the case under advisement.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

BILL TO BUY CAPE CANAL DROPPED

Washington, Dec. 7.—The Winslow bill for the purchase of the Cape Cod Canal was not taken up in the House, with the result that the bill will stand little chance for consideration before the expiration of the Sixty-seventh Congress. The very apparent opposition to the measure on the part of the Democrats, a large number of the New York delegation and almost the entire farm bloc, caused Chairman Samuel Winslow to drop it after consultation with the House leaders.

Filene's

Let's have Tommy Lightfoot kicking up his heels all day in Filene Five-Toe Moccasins, instead of kicking because old-fashioned shoes are pinching his pink toes.

These Ventilated Moccasins are constructed on scientific lines. Made of best leather, yet pliable as rubber. The fancy shoes of olden days may look better than these, but their little wearers feel worse.

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For a young matron we suggest the new earrings of unusual length and satisfactory twinkles, for a necklace of seed pearls and onyx that is Parisian in its smartness.

For the young girl a link bracelet or a little finger ring is a welcome gift. She appreciates, too, a fitted suitcase or bag to use on her trips to college proms and gay week-ends.

Men may be well pleased with a number of possible gifts from our shop. We are the sole Boston agents for the John Brumfit pipes, so beloved by those who possess them. The ostrich cigar and cigarette cases are both good-looking and unusual.

Many men have carried their present watches so long that they wish for a new one. The models nowadays are so different from those of a few years ago that they secretly feel old-fashioned.

These are gift suggestions, chosen at random from the many we could make. If you will spend a little time in our various departments we will gladly show you many charming things.

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Millions of pounds of White House Coffee have been sold. The phenomenal growth in public estimation of this famous brand proves how good this "buying" is.

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WHITE HOUSE COFFEE

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London (By Associated Press).—Parliament will be prorogued December 15, Prime Minister Bonar Law told the House of Commons today.

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3,000 ATTEND CHARITY BALL OF ELKS

Mayor Curley and Miss Phryne M. McGann led the grand march at the annual charity ball of the Boston Lodge of Elks in Symphony Hall, at which 3,000 were present. Miss McGann is daughter of a former exalted ruler of the lodge. Exalted Ruler Michael F. Cullney and Mrs. Curley, next in line, were followed by more than 500 couples.

Alexander Whiteside led in the silent toast given the absent members at 11 o'clock. Honor guests included Governor and Mrs. Cox, District Attorney and Mrs. O'Brien and ex-Mayor and Mrs. Peters.

Ambrose J. Purcell was marshal and Dr. John W. Lane floor director. The latter was assisted by Dr. Edward D. Hurley, Dr. John A. Cecconi, Dr. Charles F. Willusky, Joseph A. Kelly, Richard F. Graham, Lieutenant W. A. Ratigan, Felix A. Marcella, Joseph F. Crotty, W. Monroe Kelly, E. C. Steptoe and Edward F. McLaughlin.

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CREW SAVED, SHIP POUNDS TO PIECES

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Dec. 7—The 3-mast schooner Mary A. of North Sydney, wrecked yesterday on the Grand River bar, today was reported a total loss. The crew was reported to have been rescued.

——Go Box to Christmas Basket Fund——

IRISH BATTLE NEAR CORK

Continued from First Page.

serious disorder in Dublin since the Irish Free State officially came into existence yesterday.

British soldiers were attacked at the same time, but returned the fire, driving the attackers away.

The assassins escaped.

The Hales brothers and O'Malley were on their way to the Parliament building when the attack was made.

As they were passing the Ormond Hotel on the Liffey Quay side the Republicans opened fire at close range.

When President Cosgrave announced the attack in the Dail, Minister of Defense Mulcahy rose and said:

"These men did not have a priest, nor were they asked if they would see their relatives."

The victims were in a jaunting car when attacked. O'Malley's wound is said to be serious.

Parliament paid a standing tribute to the slain deputy.

O'Malley was elected deputy speaker of the Dail yesterday. Hales was returned from South Cork in the last Parliamentary elections.

RIDDLED WITH BULLETS.

Hales' body was riddled with bullets.

While there were known to be four men in the party that did the actual shooting there was said to be three others acting as lookouts.

The victims themselves did not get a chance to fight back.

After seeing Hales and O'Malley fall, the assailants fled in various directions, firing their revolvers at a British officer who pursued them.

Nearby pedestrians were thrown into panic.

Following an operation O'Malley improved somewhat and physicians said they were hopeful of saving his life.

By Associated Press.

Cork, Dec. 7.—Irish Republicans in an attack on Brandon barracks in County Cork, today took ninety prisoners, including Commandant Mooney of the barracks.

The fight was the fiercest yet reported in County Cork. Before advancing on the barracks the irregulars captured an armored car at Brandon, which they used, together with twenty machine guns and bombs, in their attack on the troops defending the village.

London, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press).—The suggestion that King George may go to Dublin to open formally the new Irish Parliament, as advanced by the Liverpool Courier, seems based partly on surmise.

Although the possibility of the King's presence has taken no definite shape, it is safe to say that if Ireland intimated such a visit would be welcome the sovereign would acquiesce. It is regarded as quite unlikely, however, that His Majesty would take the initiative in the matter.

According to a Dublin report, King George sent a remarkable message to Timothy Healy, the new Governor-General, to which Healy is said to have replied. These messages, the report said, will probably be first given to the public by the Governor General in an announcement in the Parliament.

WARNS HOLDERS OF VICTORY NOTES

A warning to holders of Victory notes which will be retired at their face value plus interest on December 15 has been issued by the Chamber of Commerce in a bulletin sent out to members. The circular informing holders that series A, B, C, D, E and F, of the Victory Loan bonds will be retired by the government, says in part:

"Remember that there are human parasites who induce people to risk their money in unsound ventures. Be cautious. Don't lose your money to be talked out of your hands for a bad investment."

DAVIS DEFENDS U. S. IMMIGRANT STATION

Washington, Dec. 7.—Immigrants are better treated at Ellis Island than at any other port in the world, Secretary of Labor Davis declared today in reply to criticism voiced in the British House of Commons by Under Foreign Secretary McNeill. "If the House of Commons really is interested," Davis said, "let them send a commission to investigate and inspect Ellis Island."

HEAD OF THE OWLS MUST SERVE TERM

Chicago, Dec. 7.—John W. Talbot, supreme president of the Order of Owls, has lost his appeal from the five-year sentence to Leavenworth prison and the $5,000 fine imposed on him by the United States District Court for violation of the Mann act. The Federal District Court of Appeals upheld the decision and the finding of the lower court. Talbot was found guilty of four counts of violating the Mann act by bringing Pearl Bayley from Topeka, Kan., to South Bend, Ind.

GARDINER, ME., BLOCK BURNS, $60 000 LOSS

Gardiner, Me., Dec. 7.—Damage estimated at $60,000 was caused by a fire in the opera house on Water street today. The loss was sustained by the owners of the building, by the Russell Amusement Company which occupied it as a motion picture theatre, and Claude S. Smith & Co., dry goods dealers. The stock in the store included a quantity of Christmas goods.

Jays BOSTON TEMPLE PLACE ELEVEN

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JIU JITSU TOO MUCH, HAMON'S WIDOW SAYS

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Jiu Jitsu broke up the home of Mrs. William L. Rohrer, widow of the late Jake Hamon. This was the charge she made today in her suit for divorce against her wealthy husband.

Rohrer, his wife charged, became enthralled with the Japanese method of wrestling. After taking a few preliminary lessons in the art of self-defence, he began to use his wife as a victim of his growing proficiency, the suit alleges.

"Though a man of small stature," Mrs. Rohrer's charge continues, "he pushed her against a dresser in the bedroom of their home, bruising and injuring her shoulders."

Another time he twisted her arms behind a chair until she fainted, Mrs. Rohrer said. She was then still weak from an operation.

The Rohrers were married within a year after Jake Hamon had been killed in Ardmore by Clare Smith. Hamon. They separated a few days ago. Mrs. Rohrer recently went to the home of her father, M. Clem Perkin, after what her husband called a "tiff."

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King Excuses Healy From Kissing Hand to Save Irish Pride

London, Dec. 7. — King George waived the customary formalities in connection with Tim Healy's installation as Governor General of Ireland to avoid wounding Irish feeling.

Although it has been an invariable rule for a Governor General to kiss the King's hands before receiving his commission from them, Healy's was telegraphed to him after the the King had signed it.

The King realized the usual formalities might give enemies of the Free State a chance to cause trouble.

MISSING NORTHBORO MAN FOUND IN WEST

Ware, Dec. 7.—Raymond Winslow of Northboro, who disappeared July 1, when it was thought he had been drowned in Lake Quinsigamond at Worcester, is alive in Minneapolis, according to his brother, Alton Winslow, of this town. Alton said his brother had a letter from Raymond. Raymond left a wife and three children in Northboro. He wrote, it is said, that overwork, family trouble and other "unbearable circumstances" forced him to go.

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GIRLS HELD IN PHILLIPS HUNT RELEASED

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Miss Elsie Coe and Miss Clara Hutchins of Baltimore, Md., were taken from the incoming Los Angeles Limited of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad today by police seeking Mrs. Clara Phillips, convicted murderess who escaped from the Los Angeles County Jail. The women satisfied the police of their identity.

The two women left Los Angeles on December 4, the day before Mrs. Phillips escaped.

The police boarded the train at Maywood on a report that Mrs. Phillips was believed to have been seen on the train as it left Omaha, although detectives had said it was extremely unlikely that Mrs. Phillips could reach Chicago in three days without the use of an airplane.

The home of Ed T. ("Gold Tooth") Johnson, promoter of a resort at Tia Juana, Lower California, was the objective of the posse headed by Sheriff Traeger which left Los Angeles in search of Mrs. Phillips.

Johnson was said to have formed a friendship for Mrs. Phillips while he was in the county jail last Summer. He is in custody pending developments in the search for Mrs. Phillips.

The posse arrived at the border at 3:30 o'clock this morning, but deferred crossing until daybreak.

The sheriff's office announced today it had received a telegram from Sheriff Purnell at Ogden, Utah, stating he was positive Mrs. Phillips was aboard a train which passed through Ogden shortly after midnight.

That train and one other were searched at Laramie, Wyo., but no one answering the description of Mrs. Phillips was found.

It had been reported from other sources also that she and a blonde friend boarded the train at Long Beach, Cal., and throughout the trip had kept to their stateroom.

It also was declared the women were traveling on tickets reading from Long Beach to Baltimore, Md.

Other reports reaching the sheriff's office came from Omaha, where it was said, police officers believed Mrs. Phillips had been seen last night on a train bound for Chicago.

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Slayer Sought

CLARA PHILLIPS.

AUDIENCE JOLTS FORMER DRY CHIEF

A severe jolt was handed former Dry Chief Harold D. Wilson when he was filled with caustic questions as he delivered an address on prohibition at the Clarendon Street Baptist Church. Wilson appeal of reproachful as members o what he stig posed was "sorry dry" church congregation, shoppers. "Harold, I know where you can get real stuff." "I'll leave a little gin around at your place in the morning." "O, you Harold, that prohibition game of yours is a farce," and other quips.

MRS. GRON'S LOVE LETTERS ARE READ

Continued from Third Page.

people, that tragic separation of spirit," said the brilliant society woman at the end of one of these discussions.

"You are the most wonderful lover a woman ever had, and the most divine father a woman ever gave her baby," said another letter. "Be very careful of your dear self, for you are all that matters in the world. Go to bed early and drink plenty of water. I am with you in spirit. It is wickedly cruel that we cannot be together, but I feel that our love will be purified and strengthened by our trials."

One letter declared that the popular society favorite wanted to abandon all the artificialities of social life, and "live, oh so simply, in a tiny little cottage in the country. Just you, my dearest beloved, my wonderful baby and myself. We would touch the realities of life, and find peace and bliss forever."

TROUBLE OVER PASSPORT.

At one time during the war Gron could not secure a passport to enter the United States. Many of Mrs. Gron's letters of her unceasing efforts to procure the passport, of trips to Washington, of entertaining the Danish ambassador, and of negotiations with influential men in various countries.

"I shall raise Heaven and earth to get my darling husband back. Everyone is having difficulty in getting passports, but there is no power on earth that can keep my beloved from me."

Mrs. Gron's only comment on her ardent letters was:

"I meant them when I wrote them, because I really loved him and believed in him in spite of everything. And besides we were always desperately in love with each other when there was an ocean between us."

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HUGHES ASKS FOR $4,000,000 NET

Washington, Dec. 7.—The net cost of the foreign service of the United States for the coming fiscal year was placed at less than $4,000,000 by Secretary Hughes, in explaining the State Department's estimates to the House sub-committee on appropriations.

The total asked for was $15,202,237, but Mr. Hughes said $5,000,000 was for payment under treaty to Colombia and $250,000 for the annual payment to Panama, leaving less than $10,000,000 against which were estimated departmental receipts of $6,150,000.

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Says Poor Are Robbed by Coal Bag Men

MEREDITH PLANS TO END IT

Asks Legislature to Make a Law for 25-Pound Bag Sales Only

To prevent poor people from being robbed by short-weight and unsatisfactory coal bags, Francis Meredith, fuel director of Stanford, [illegible] the incoming Legislature to provide in the form of a law small sales of coal shall be made only in twenty-five pound bags and sacks.

He also asked the Legislature to pass a law [illegible] uniform system of weighing coal by dealers to insure every householder getting what he pays for.

Meredith also said that the small buyers are being [illegible] such an extent that [illegible] orders [illegible] are [illegible] the rate of $8 a ton. His statement of the cost of a ton to persons residing [illegible] was as follows:

CUT THROAT COMPETITION

[illegible] price [illegible] ...ed [illegible] ...ed [illegible] ...ed

MOVIE WORLD NEWS AND GOSSIP

"EVERYTHING comes to him who waits," according to the old maxim, and for once this came true in the life of Will Rogers, who plays the role of Ichabod Crane in "The Headless Horseman," or "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow," at the Modern and Beacon Theatres this week.

It has always been, according to Mrs. Rogers, his desire to play certain characters in colored drama. One of these was "Macbeth," the other was "Rip Van Winkle" and the last was Ichabod Crane in "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow."

When asked why he liked the first two mentioned, Mr. Rogers replied in his own inimitable way that he always found that a person who was not good looking could always make a bigger success when heavily disguised. He figured that in "Rip Van Winkle" the flowing whiskers would help cover up what he considers his lack of facial beauty, and in Macbeth," the same thing would help him get away with the part.

However, in the role of Ichabod Crane, Mr. Rogers is his own self. The very fact that he likes the role makes his characterization very near perfect. Mr. Rogers feels that it is quite a coincidence that he was asked to play the role of the roguish schoolmaster of "Macbeth," the same thing would be one of the roles that he was most desirous of enacting.

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FUN IN THE MOVIES.

MARION DAVIES, star of the Cosmopolitan picture "When Knighthood Was in Flower," says the scene she enjoyed making most is that period in which she is one where as Princess Mary, she is held here of fine silk about the room completely burying the court lady who had come to have her select her wedding gown. "It was one of the few times in my life that everybody after the hard work we had been putting in on the other scenes," says Miss Davies.

Studio Notes

THE second important selection has been made for the cast of "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," which Wallace Worsley will direct at Universal City. Lon Chaney of course will play the title role. Raymond Hatton has been selected for the role of Gringoire, the Poet.

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For the first time in his screen career, Lloyd Hamilton discards his comfortable slipshod shoes for ordinary footwear in "No Luck." Incidentally the agony over new shoes which he displays in this picture is not all feigned. They hurt! They were so tight the tortures popped out while he was dancing with his girl.

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Production of "The Glimpses of the Moon," Edith Wharton's popular novel which is being translated to the screen by Allan Dwan was started at the Paramount Long Island studio last week. The opening setting for this Paramount picture was a fashionable modiste shop in New York in which Bebe Daniels and Nita Naldi, the featured actresses, are obliged to model to wear the smartest hats and gowns and lingerie that were obtainable on Fifth Avenue.

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Scores of letters are being received by Thomas H. Ince, commanding him for the stand which he has taken for his new picture, "Back Door" for the recognition of former service men. American Legion Commanders from practically every State have voiced hearty endorsement of this picture.

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"Little Church Around the Corner," an adaptation of the stage play of the same name by Marion Russell has been completed. In the cast are Kenneth Harlan, Claire Windsor, Helmut Bosworth, Lucille Ward, Wm. Orlamond, Margaret McQuinn and Carl Chadwick.

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FIND FATAL PLANE CRASH 'UNAVOIDABLE'

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 7 (By International News Service).—The collision at Langley Field yesterday between a Fokker airplane and a Martin bomber, resulting in the death of two officers and four enlisted men, was "unavoidable accident," according to a report rendered today by a special board of officers, which investigated the wreck.

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MARJORIE RAMBEAU

San Francisco, Dec. 7.—Marjorie Rambeau, talented actress, bequeaths to the extent of $1,400 by the will of the late Joseph Bisanga, a familiar figure in this city for many years.

By one, a bachelor club member, left $1,000, which he ordered distributed to 102 persons. Waiters, bartenders, cafe owners, hat boys, barbers, judges and society women were all made beneficiaries.

WANTS TECH TO TEACH US USE OF SOFT COAL

The people themselves are a good rad to blame for the present high prices of hard coal, Chairman Eugene C. Hultman of the Commission on the Necessaries of Life today declared in his annual report to the Legislature.

They insist upon hard coal, will take no substitute for it and thus put themselves at the mercy of the coal owners, he said.

This is coupled with the fact that the coal barons are gouging the people as usual, are primarily responsible for the present conditions, which Hultman describes on the coldest day of the season. He said, "By a knowledge of the use of fuel and its proper combustion, together with discrimination as to the type of fuel purchased, householders of this Commonwealth can save vast sums of money.

"We are now passing through one of the periodic exploitations of us by the anthracite industry. We can prevent much mental and financial suffering in the future by getting rid of our dependency upon anthracite."

Hultman asked the Legislature to appropriate $10 000 for the Massachusetts Institute of Technology to conduct experiments and to inform the public how best to use soft coal, the supply of which he said, is practically inexhaustible.

He asked that the anti-rent hog laws passed in 1919 as the result of the Boston American's crusade be made permanent laws. It is difficult to regulate the rent situation, he said, but those laws are by far the best yet devised to protect the people from unscrupulous landlords.

The tenancies-at-will law is due to expire on July 1, he said, and unless it is continued in force a heartless landlord could force a helpless tenant out into the street within forty-eight hours. The law now requires a thirty-days notice and gives the tenant additional ample time to find a reasonable place in which to live.

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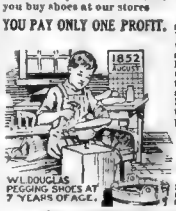

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RED SOX BACK IN BOSTON AFTER SHORT VISIT TO TORONTO

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By ENOCH FLATLEY.

The Boston Red Sox, after a one-day stopover in Toronto, are back in our midst. Having looked the Canadian metropolis over, the Red decided that things were tough enough here, evidently. At all events, the wildest of a lot of wild rumors has passed out of the picture and the baseball crystal gazers will now resume pulling for the cup to somebody who is willing to keep the franchise right here. There is as much chance of any A. L. franchise escaping from Boston as there is of the team winning the '23 pennant, with its present makeup, whether Hughey Duffy or somebody else does the managing.

In the first place, the league or organized baseball wouldn't stand for it. The Boston fans wouldn't stand for it. In the second place, even if Hughey's team is in last place and finally, if he gets canned, desertion in the ranks of the players to join the [illegible] probably will [illegible] passed before the [illegible]

[illegible] Johnson was ordered to [illegible] have sanctioned the transfer, but he doesn't know anything about it, the Boston owner is similarly unaware. In fact, the only one who seems to be the young man who went to do his Xmas shopping early, and around out a news scandal there for.

Some time or other the Red Sox will be sold, of course, but they never move from Fenway Park, no how, perhaps to get even with the other leagues and make it a one-club town, up at the Weston.

To prove the [illegible] we've recorded here [illegible] like a move to sell [illegible] who want to buy, but [illegible] the price. It [illegible] what [illegible] that [illegible] of attendance since we [illegible] big and [illegible] a new Comiskey Park [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

WILLIE WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY BREAKING ALL THOSE EGGS? FATHER "FUDGE" DOLEM MUDGETS ROWLEY

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

POP SAID THERE WAS MONEY IN EGGS AN I'M TRYING TO FIND IT.

KAW AND OWEN COUNTRY'S BEST BACKS, SAYS BRICKLEY

THREE WESTERNERS ON "ALL" ELEVEN

Brickley's All America Teams

FIRST TEAM	SECOND TEAM	THIRD TEAM
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Tackle—Callan, Brown	Trent, Princeton	Hanson, Cornell
Guard—Schiek, Lafayette	Wilson, Iowa	Medcraft, Penn State
Center—Heidt, Iowa	Garbisch, Army	Lavejoy, Yale
Guard—Brickley, Army	Hubbard, Harvard	Flynn, Ohio State
Tackle—Below, Wisconsin	Neil gan, Army	Thurman, Pennsylvania
End—Gray, Princeton	Roberts, Centre	Squires, W. & J.
Q. B.—Buell, Harvard	Dunn, Cornell	Locke, Jo.
H. B.—Owen, Harvard	Wilson, Penn State	Martineau, Minnesota
H. B.—Kaw, Cornell	Jordan, Yale	Thomas, Chicago
F. B.—Alpha, Michigan	Morrison, California	Wood, Army

By CHARLES E. BRICKLEY.

New York, Dec. 7.—Very few of the so-called experts even dare [illegible] to pick an All American team. In a measure it is [illegible] in the West, where there are so many star players in so many sections of the country. Also in the West is a man prejudiced in favor of the plays and players seen in action, rather than the stars of whom he reads from other writers, who see, perhaps, only the old days when the football stars were confined to a few of the large Eastern colleges. It was an easy task for Walter Camp and the other experts to pick a so-called All-American team. Today, with great teams and great individual stars all over the country, it is a mighty difficult matter.

In the selections I have made Muller and Gray are probably as good as any two ends who ever performed on a college gridiron. Muller can do anything that any other end is capable of, and in addition is the most expert long distance forward passer in the game today.

Gray of Princeton played perfect football all year in every department of end play. Trends on the other two backs, Buell Roberts of Centre and Parr of the Navy, as well as Kirk of Michigan and Spiliers of [illegible] exceptional and stood [illegible] above average [illegible] Red Roberts ended a spectacular [illegible] Centre and although [illegible] part of the season at full [illegible] he was [illegible] and [illegible] of the

Rates Guhan as Best Tackle in Country

Of the [illegible] Guhan of Brown is rated as the best [illegible] country, while the two of Wisconsin, not far behind. Trees of Pitt [illegible] and Mullison of West Point were invaluable to their teams. Trees could be best termed the [illegible] of the year. This was [illegible] season on a big scale, both [illegible] of Harvard and Yale. [illegible] Pennsylvania were not far behind the pace.

Coaches [illegible] the coaches we have [illegible] and Percy Jones, [illegible] of the years starting who [illegible] all of the year. Harvard [illegible] Yale [illegible] Mc[illegible] of Jock Hutchinson [illegible] Chicago, [illegible] Percy Haughton [illegible] Harvard [illegible] West Point were [illegible] of the [illegible] coaches with Head [illegible] Wisconsin [illegible] Bezdek [illegible] Penn State [illegible] as well. Lawson of Yale [illegible] powerful [illegible] was a [illegible] but developed rapidly.

Buell of Harvard [illegible] one of the great American [illegible] All a group of stars [illegible] I have selected [illegible] and [illegible] knowledge and [illegible] and there would be no stopping this team with Buell running it.

Parr of Cornell and Locke of Iowa were more like half backs than quarterbacks, but both ran their teams well and were brilliant field generals. Perfection in Kaw and Owen, in my opinion are the two best backs in the game. Combined with a great line, Owen and Kaw comprise the Kirk of Michigan with Buell to [illegible] plays and with a rush [illegible] would be hard for the first team I [illegible] of any other team could stop this backfield.

Kaw and Owen Has No Backfield Equals

Wilson of Penn, Jordan of Yale and "Duke" Morrison of California are placed on the second team. Wilson and Jordan were second only to Owen and Kaw. "Duke" Morrison is the idol of many critics was the best back on the Pacific coast and one of the best in the country. Wood of the Army, Thomas of Chicago and Martineau of Wisconsin are placed on the third team. All three of these backs performed in wonderful style and it is hard to leave them off the first or second teams.

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Give How to Christmas Basket Fund—

FITTS OR WEST FOR TECH FLOOR COACH

The choice for the Technology basketball coach seems to rest with Horace Fitts of Harvard or Ralph West, a Colgate graduate. One of them will be picked upon the return of Lieutenant Byerley from New York. He coached the team for a few days but will be forced to give up on account of naval duties.

Fitts the Harvard football star, played forward on Harvard's basketball five. He will complete his studies at the university in February so that he will have ample time to coach the engineers. West, a football and basketball man at Colgate, was named for the All-American basketball team in 1916.

ST. JOSEPH'S TO GIVE ACTION

Followers of the amateur boxing game are manifesting great interest in the annon pure tournament to be held tomorrow night at Commercial Hall. Bowdoin square under the auspices of the St. Joseph T. A. S. [illegible] This is the [illegible] tournament of the [illegible] A. U. [illegible] organization [illegible] of [illegible] have met the various [illegible] One of the largest entries of the season has been received, which means plenty of action for the fans.

Five classes will be held [illegible] 108, 118, 126, 135 and 147 pounds. [illegible] night of the interest in approaching inter-national tournament, the amateur boxers are working hard [illegible] to be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

BOSTON AMERICAN

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SPORTS

GREEK AND TURK BATTLE IN BIG MAT CONTEST TONIGHT

KOTSONAROS TO GET REAL TEST AT GRAND

By JACK CONWAY.

George Kotsonaros Greek wrestling champion who does not believe he would have any difficulty in tossing Jack Dempsey in a mixed match, may find his master when he quarrels with Al Sultanjnon, Turkish grappler, in a finish contest, at a show to be staged by the Old Howard management at the Grand Opera House tonight.

The Turk is a big, powerful fellow and has an impressive array of victories to his credit. He does not believe he will experience a great deal of difficulty in disposing of his Greek rival this p. m.

Greek against Turk is about the best kind of a wrestling attraction one could stage these hectic days. Such tussles always furnish plenty of real, intense rivalry which is what the mat devotees like.

The winner of tonight's affair will be prepared to quarrel with George Calza or Renato Gardini, Italian mat stars

Pat Brosnan veteran mat artist will face Bill Brook Southern giant as an opponent in the semi-final while, will also be a fine affair

Joe Perry, Italian athlete will go to fisticuffs with George Wil Rame tonight as feature an

The rest of the

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Johnny Clinton, former New England lightweight champion, will have Tracy Ferguson as an opponent in a ten round mill at the Moody A. C., of Lowell tonight. Clinton has been boxing well since he returned from California. Fred Methiod of Waltham will oppose Billy Taylor of Nashua, N. H., in the semi-final of eight frames. Bob Conlon of Charlestown will box Sid Smith. Bob Ambrose of Cambridge, while Joe Siegel of Revere and Nick Mudonna of Lexington are also listed to go six rounds.

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Jack Conway Picks Kotsonaros and Bowser to Win

Jack Conway, in the midst of another winning streak, says Kotsonaros and Bowser will be the victorious wrestlers at the big show which will be staged at the Grand Opera House tonight.

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These two birds possess an abundance of class and will win their bout after tough rassle, says Conway.

Jack handled the boys as other winner when he passed out the tip that Harry (Kid) Brown would dispose of Tony Julian at the Armory Club

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LOOKOUT QUINTET PAGES GAMES

Roxbury fans will be given an opportunity of seeing another good basketball in this season when

William H. Homer

baskets will play centre. Teams signing to meet the Lookouts are Manager William H. Homer No. 12 Clifton street, Roxbury Roxbury 4214-J between 6 and 7.

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B. A. A. TO STAGE AMATEUR SHOW

The second sparring tournament of the season to be conducted by the Boston Athletic Association on December 15 will be one of the best tournaments held by the Lenox Club for some time. Entries in the five open classes consisting of 112, 118, 136, 147 and 160 pounds are filing very well, and the best boys in Boston and vicinity will be seen in action at these weights.

Great interest is being manifested among boxers in the 112 lb. and 147 pound classes from the fact that Manager Tom Kanaly has attained with the Crescent A. C. of Nashua, N. Y., to send the winners of these three classes to compete in an international exhibition tournament to be held at the Crescent A. C. on December 21.

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PLAY FOR SEMI-PRO GRIDIRON LAURELS

The undefeated Millettsons of Chelsea will play Pere Marquette Council K. of C. in the final football game of the season Saturday afternoon at the old Walpole street grounds for the New England semi-pro championship. Both squads have clean slates this season. The game is scheduled to start at 2:15 p. m. and one of the largest crowds of the season is expected to be on hand.

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SOMERVILLE BOY TO LEAD ST. STEPHEN'S

Martin B. White of Somerville—Martin B. White of Somerville, Mass., has been elected captain of the football team at St. Stephen's College for 1923. He is a halfback.

JIMMY MURPHY IS AUTO KING

Indianapolis, Dec. 7.—Jimmy Murphy of Los Angeles is the champion automobile race driver for 1922. His unofficial total is 3,400 points. Harry Hartz, also of Los Angeles finished second with 1,205 points behind Murphy. Tommy Milton, champion last year, was third. Frank Elliott was fourth and Bennie Hill was fifth. Murphy won practically every big race during the year.

Jimmy Murphy.

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THREE NATATORS LEFT AT EXETER

Exeter, N. H., Dec. 7.—Swimming Instructor Waldo Holm of the Exeter swimming team faces the strongest schedule ever arranged. He has only three veterans to start with, Captain Van Buren Taliaferro, and Jefferson Borden, 50 and 100 yard men, and Stanley Sheppard, diver.

Captain Taliaferro was anchor man on the relay team last season, and Borden won both the 50 and the 100 yard events in the Exeter Andover meet last season.

Outdoor Sports

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By TAD

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OH DEAR - PEARL - LOOK AT THAT ONE REDUCED TO $740 ISN'T IT A DREAM
I'M SORRY I BOUGHT THAT ONE NEXT TO IT - ONLY $20
SOB SHOPPING.

BROWN VICTOR OVER JULIAN AT ARMORY

By RINGSIDE

Harry (Kid) Brown whanged his way to a tempestuous victory over Tony Julian, Brown favorite at the Armory A. A. show at the Grand Opera House.

It was a rough, tough fight but the grand and decent old game soul top

For before a hundred looked rather dazed Brown as Julian crashed over punches and piled by a cuff to the head

Brown came back and took the honors in the third, fourth, sixth, seventh and eighth sessions. He jolted the dapper Italian with lefts and rights to the head and body and paraded around the ring with a wild grin on his face.

Julian warmed up in the second and paraded around the ring with both hands to the body. Brown took the final stanza and the decision.

Eddie Lawrey won over W. Garo in the semi-final of eight rounds. Tommy Murphy bested in a three round win over Pat Singer while Eddy Williams knocked Tommy Quinn out in two sessions.

Sergt. Buster Downes, former Notre Dame star, who is fast rounding into form at the Armory A. C. in boxing, will be seen in the final starts and fans declare he will be a big favorite with the fans.

Rindge and Malden Play Next Week for Suburban Title

Rindge Tech and Malden are to settle the Suburban League football squabble.

Neither team likes sharing the top honors and each believes it can win them, so at a meeting among John W. Wood, headmaster of Rindge; W. Jenkins, principal of Malden, and Coach Dorian of the Rindge team, it was decided to play off the tie at Malden on Saturday, December 16.

Rindge can get busy right away preparing for the fray, but Malden is just now getting set for its interscholastic game with White High of Toledo

HAVERHILL IN MARKET FOR NEW COACH

Haverhill Dec 7—Haverhill may be trying to retain Coach Broderick, but Sales has him and will keep him. Charles Odell, member of the Salem School Committee commented this afternoon. The Haverhill school board had offered Broderick $5 000 as athletic instructor in the public schools if he would remain

Superintendent of Schools Albert Barbour appointed to meet Coach Broderick, offered him the new position. The coach resigned when Byron Chow announced that Haverhill eleven would not be permitted to play a post season game. He received $3 500 as a teacher of drawing and as football coach Salem is paying him $4 000 as an athletic instructor and an additional sum for coaching.

At a meeting of the advisory board Principal Chow changed his mind and gave his sanction for a trip. Efforts are being made to play some fast Southern eleven

Efforts are now being made to secure a new coach and G. Norman Burkhard, former Dartmouth College star and coach of the best eleven ever turned out of Colgate is suggested as Broderick's successor. Ralph Gilroy, who starred for Dartmouth two years ago and who helped coach this year his brother Tom, former Georgetown backfield man, Larry Greene and Edward Connell old Georgetown stars are also being considered

Eagles May Meet Tufts On Grid

Tufts may take the place of Boston University on the B. C. football schedule. Boston College and Tufts have just resumed relations after a two-year break. They will also play hockey and baseball this year.

The success of the Medford team with Eddie Casey as coach has encouraged athlete authorities to look for lots of real opposition.

MALLORY ELECTED YALE GRID LEADER

New Haven, Dec. 7—William N. Mallory has been elected captain of the 1923 Yale football team. Mallory comes from Memphis Tenn. and is commonly called "Memphis" Bill Mallory. He prepared at Powder School and has played football three years being a regular backfield man since 1920 freshman team and starting on the varsity last season as left end. His play this Fall has been of a superior style & he should be a tough man to get out of the game for Yale.

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REAL SPORTS RALLY TO AID XMAS FUND

Jack Twin Sullivan now as good a boxing teacher as he used to be a glove tosser, step forth in his usual big way in the Christmas Basket Fund. Jack isn't paying down the large purses nowadays; in fact, when he was in the championship class they didn't get as much as the little fellows do now, but he always comes through like a major. He sent along a very cheerful letter, enclosing twenty dollars for the fund. Jack wound up by hoping that all the kiddies' little stockings would be filled with all kinds of dill pickles and every thing. If all the world were built along the famous Twin's measurements they would be. The old master is another of the boxers who always answers gladly to any kind of an appeal for help. If the rest of the athletic world followed their pace, we wouldn't have to be so urgent in trying to get our total up where it should be.

Jack Twin Sullivan

The Fort Banks football team of Winthrop had a good season and concluded it very properly by sending $5 in to the fund. Sergeant Rose, the manager, brought it along with the

Hugh Duffy, manager of the Red Sox, also jumped into the list of the generous, hoping that his $10 would help swell a great cause. Hughey is never missing when the right call is made.

Tommy Robson the Malden lad der, helped things with another ten spot as did Jack Williams. The manager who is willing to bet his players personal for the fund. Jack's side kick, Jack O'Leary was with him, and untarred a five.

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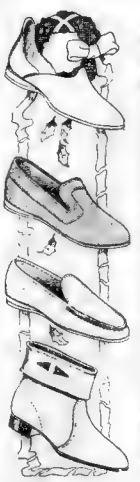

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Polly and Her Pals

by

Cliff Sterrett

I WISH YOU'D HURRY UP AND MAKE THAT MILLION DOLLARS FA'
PATIENCE, POLLY. THE AMALGAMATED MOP CO IS ONLY IN ITS EARLY!
AS OUR TRAVELING SALES MAN SAID A WEEK AGO, "THERE'S A HUNDRED MILLION PEOPLE IN THE U.S.A. WOT AIN'T USIN' OUR MOPS, YET!
OH! THAT REMINDS ME, LINK!
YER SALESMAN CALLED YOU ON THE LONG-DISTANCE FROM CHICAGO, THIS AFTERNOON!
YEAH? WHAT DID HE SAY?
HE SEZ, "THERE'S STILL A HUNDRED MILLION PEOPLE IN THE U.S.A WOT AIN'T USIN' YOUR MOPS, YET."
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Speaking of Lumbago, It Is Something to Live--- or Die For

By C. St. L. M.

DID you ever have lumbago? No? Yes? If not you have something to live for—or die for preferable the latter

Lumbago is where you fall on a circular saw and every tooth sticks and stays in your back and every one has the toothache.

A slight amount of lumbago can last you a lifetime—at least you may think so.

There are two kinds of lumbago—the painful and the more painful. There is no superlative. Lumbago was born a superlative.

Lumbago, as defined in a rheumatic device that lands some day unannounced in the "small of your back."

Lumbago is sudden, but sure. You may be walking along the street when it arrives. You feel as though you've been hit by a meteor that's from Jupiter. Or maybe a section of the Milky Way has caved in and landed in the small of your back. You w[illegible] one small and [illegible] gushed vertebrae [illegible] so much pain.

Then you go to the [illegible] pulls two strands out of [illegible] kers on his left [illegible] to your left ear while [illegible] would put old Doc [illegible] and leaves out of the [illegible] latives at a group of [illegible] work on a ten-story building on the next block, and after three dollars worth of medicament announces that you have [illegible].

But you say you have a [illegible] your back that [illegible] perfect in five languages.

He says he knows it and will [illegible] you a prescription in the language that was old when the Goths arrived in France and [illegible] rest you to have [illegible].

The druggist [illegible] over the [illegible] and, when back [illegible] carton and has to [illegible] clerk one to be rubbed on the small of your back every five [illegible] the other to be taken once [illegible] teaspoons.

You go home. A couple [illegible] meet the washwoman [illegible] the bill. She advises you to [illegible] bag of hot salt on the small of your back. You do fall asleep for the first time in weeks. But when you awake your back has taken the wings of the morning and flown on the window.

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HIGHBROW ESSAYS

By Joy Sutherland

AUTOMOBILES are four-wheeled luxuries with a honk at one end and a smell at the other. They have the peculiar habit of chasing the pedestrian all the way around the block and then hitting him anywhere between the centre of gravity and [illegible] so hard that there is nothing left to do but buy him a tombstone and collect the [illegible].

All cars are equipped with [illegible] and tiddlemotors [illegible] which have more buttons than a [illegible]. And when one [illegible] you never know whether [illegible] the explosion of a short circuit or a [illegible].

There are two kinds of autos, the [illegible] and the [illegible] snappers, of which the latter kind is far more numerous. When there is a girl aboard the flivver has the meanest way of always stopping on a dark deserted road, but miraculously enough they usually appear to recover of their own accord.

The upkeep of one small auto costs more than half a dozen [illegible]-arable daughters, a stable of race horses, and a well-stocked cellar and a man who does not have at least a half million berries salted away has no more use for a six cylinder car than a prune pig for a business education.

But on the balmy Spring [illegible] when you are among the [illegible] the wedding moon, [illegible] with the sweet young thing [illegible] close to your side and her pink ear so close the sweet, dizzy tone in her voice—to Hearts' Desire should [illegible] saying while BOTH hands [illegible].

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THE CHAUFFEUR WOOS

OH, Annabelle I sure do like your lines, dear kid;
You keep my heart a-hittin' on all six.
When first I lamped you I began to skid
You eyes would charm a speed cop with their tricks

Oh, Annabelle' I'll tell the world you are some dame'
You've got me goin' honest, that's no jest
And "I'll square 'an' that you'll wear my name,
Then park your lovin' head upon your driver's chest'

AIN'T IT A FACT?

IT'S easy enough to be smiling
When everything's on the ice
And you have no coal or money—
And even the price of a drink
But think of the lord with a cellar
Bunkered with coal and wine
Life is one week long worry;
The poor gink never can smile.

JERRY ON THE JOB

Registered U. S. Patent Office.
AREN'T YOU GOING OUT TO LUNCH??
NO.
PULL
PUSH
FAT CHANCE A GUY'S GOT TO GO TO LUNCH WHEN HE AIN'T GOT NO MORE MONEY THAN HE HAS FEATHERS— FAT CHANCE!
AND THERE'S NO USE ASKIN' THAT OLD EGG FOR A SMALL STACK OF DIMES — HE'S TIGHTER THAN THE BOTTOM SARDINE.

The Secret Is Out

US BOYS

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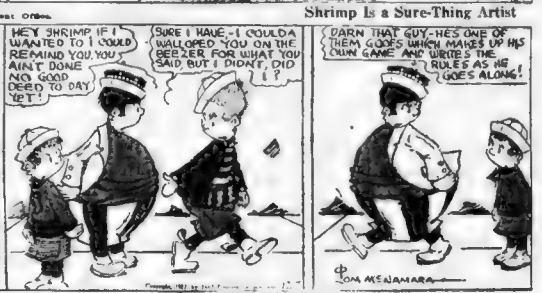
SAY SHRIMP, GUESS I'LL HAUL OFF AND DO A FEW GOOD DEEDS FOR CHRISTMAS— LIKE YOU'RE DOIN' EVERY DAY.
YOU DON'T HAFTA, YOU'RE ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF SANDY RIGHT NOW,— YOU'RE A GOODIE GOODIE GUY!
WHERE DO YOU GET THAT GOODIE GOODIE STUFF? I'M A REGELER DEMON SOMETIMES
AW, G'WAN, YOU DON'T KNOW HOW TO BE BAD!

Shrimp Is a Sure-Thing Artist


HEY SHRIMP IF I WANTED TO I COULD REMIND YOU, YOU AIN'T DONE NO GOOD DEED TO DAY YET!
SURE I HAVE.— I COULDA WALLOPED YOU ON THE BEEZER FOR WHAT YOU SAID BUT I DIDN'T, DID I?
DARN THAT GUY— HE'S ONE OF THEM GOOKS WHICH MAKES UP HIS OWN GAME AND WRITES THE RULES AS HE GOES ALONG!
TOM McNAMARA

THE THIMBLE THEATRE

Registered U. S. Patent Office.
YOU FOLLOW DOWN HERE AN' GET HIM— "HOTFOOT" HIM AN' BRING HIM BACK!
YOU BEAT US UP OF ALL THE GOLD WE FOUND IN AFRICA— NOW I'M GOING TO GIVE YOU A FIGHTING CHANCE
HERE— HOTFOOT PUT THESE BOXING GLOVES ON HIM

KRAZY KAT

SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston American will pay $1 for every letter published on "The Most Embarrassing Moment in My Life." Address Embarrassing Moments, Boston American.

One day as I [illegible] a few [illegible] I [illegible] ing down as I was to put [illegible] up to fix [illegible] when I [illegible] fell down on my [illegible] and [illegible] the ground. One of the [illegible] I [illegible] on top and [illegible] [illegible] for me. That was the first time I ever put [illegible].

GERTRUDE HARTUNG,
P. O. Box [illegible], Lawrence.

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SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address Smart Sayings, Boston American.

Isaac: Good-night— don't you know it is wrong to swear that [illegible] boy?

Young Tuffy: "W[illegible] you [illegible] what I know [illegible] all right, but a few [illegible] be much obliged.

MRS. F. H. HAMLIN, [illegible]
No. 87 [illegible] St., [illegible]. H.

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A SEA TALE

"SWEDISH Here [illegible] in Sadie Lewis Marks' [illegible] says headline. [illegible] Must be a "catch" in it somewhere.

"H. S. to Demand Freedom of Air" is another startling News head. Those gol' durned reformers must be busy again.

A. B. See says that colleges should be burned and the girls should go to work. They don't study their A B C's, is his claim.

Hamilton Bermuda is the happy [illegible] that Bermuda [illegible] to be beginning to [illegible] that [illegible] subway [illegible].

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Unfortunately

Our [illegible] how [illegible] that some birds [illegible] a shape in their [illegible] where [illegible] not audible. A [illegible] unfortunately which the young lady next door has not yet [illegible].

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Logic

Mrs.—If he's got so much money, how is it that he hasn't a car?

Mr.—Ah! that's just it. That's why he has so much money.

LET THE WEDDING BELLS RING OUT

SFUNNY!— I KNOW SHE'S HOME—
BANG! BANG!
HEY HENRIETTA! OPEN THE DOOR!
I'M NOT THE COLLECTOR—
THE GOOD NEWS WILL PLEASE HIM—
BLINK
IF NOTHING HAPPENS IT WILL BE A PERFECT HIT
NOW YOU BIG STIFF— STEP UP!
IF YOU LICK ME YOU GO FREE— AND IF I LICK YOU— YOU'VE GOT TO TELL US WHERE THE MONEY'S
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WE HAD BETTER HIDE OR I'LL BE CALLIN' ON YOU IN A CHINESE HOSPITAL.
HERE COMES MAGGIE!
SNEAK IN HERE AN' HIDE UNTIL SHE GOES BY!
HURRY UP, DINTY!
WE GIVE HER THE SLIP ALL RIGHT!
GEE! SHE'D BE SORE IF SHE KNEW THIS.
WHAT'S THIS?
WE ARE IN JAIL AGIN!!!
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Bringing Up Father

by

George McManus

STUMBLE INN

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GOSH DARN IT—!! RAIN RAIN RAIN— NOTHING BUT RAIN FOR A WEEK!
WELL, MR. WEBBER, HOW'S—
AVERY DAY I TRY TO MAKE ZEE ONION SOUP; AN' AVRY DAY EET RAIN, RAIN, RAIN ALL ZEE TIME. EET EEZ IMPOSEEB TO MAKE ONION SOUP WAN EET RAIN— SACRE A DIEU DON-NAR PEEP I AM DERZCOURAGE GO AWAY DON'T BOTHER ME, I AM WET LIKE A MAD HEN'S ETC VOILA
DON'T YOU SAY ANY THING TO ME— DAMNUNNIT—!!— I AIN'T IN NO STATE OR MIND TO HAR ANYTHING SAID TO ME— I AIN'T LATHERED A LIP, OR MASSAGED A MUSH SINCE THIS RAIN SET IN— IT'S BEEN SO LONG SINCE I'VE SEEN A CUSTOMER, I'LL FORGET HOW TO SAY, 'NEXT'—
UH-H-I SAY— WENDELL—

Beautiful, but Damp

GOSH, EVERY BODY AROUND THIS JOINT IS GOT A "GROUCH" BECAUSE IT'S BEEN RAINING FOR A FEW DAYS— I KNOW RAIN NEVER BOTHERED THAT'S WORK— WHY SHOULDN'T IT.
HUH! OLD OWL-EYE IS NOT ONLY A GOOD HOUSE DETECTIVE, BUT HE'S QUITE A PHILOSOPHER AS WELL.
IT AIN'T RAINING RAIN Y'KNOW IT'S RAINING VI-O-LETS
URIAH STUMBLE! WHATEVER ARE YOU DOING OUT THERE IN THAT RAIN?
GETTING COOL WOMAN GETTING COOL

ABIE THE AGENT

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MISTER GOTGELT WAS HERE LOOKING FOR YOU, ABE = HE'LL BE IN AGAIN, SOON!
THE SWELL MISTER GOTGELT? WHAT COULD HE WANT WITH ME?
YOU'RE A MEMBER OF THE COURLAND CLUB AREN'T YOU?
YES, MISTER GOTGELT
I HEAR IT'S A WONDERFUL CLUB = WONDERFUL BUNCH OF BOYS IN IT?
YEH, IT'S A GREAT CLUB AND I'M POSITIVEL PROUD TO BELONG TO IT;

He Must Have a Right to Propose

WELL, MR. KABIBBLE, I'D LIKE TO HAVE YOU PROPOSE ME AS A MEMBER!
MR. GOTGELT, I NEVER HAD SUCH A GREAT HONOR PUSHED ON ME— I'LL PROPOSE YOU TONIGHT!
THAT'S A GREAT HONOR TO HAVE YOU PROPOSE HIM, ISN'T IT?
I SHOULD SAY SO!
ARE YOU GOING OUT NOW?
YES, BUT I'LL BE BACK SOON = I'M JUST GOING OVER TO THE CLUB TO PAY MY DUES
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HELPFUL HENRY

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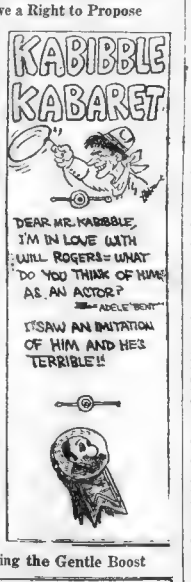
HENRY, MY WIFE SUSPECTS THAT I BEHAVED TERRIBLE AT THAT WILD STAG PARTY LAST NIGHT
YES, I KNOW— I WAS JUST TALKING WITH HER
SHE SAID SHE HEARD THAT YOU STOOD UP ON A TABLE AND DANCED BUT I TOLD HER IT WASN'T SO
THANKS FOR LYING FOR ME HENRY WHAT DID YOU TELL HER?
I TOLD HER YOU WEREN'T ABLE TO STAND, LEAVE ALONE DANCE

KABIBBLE KABARET


DEAR MR. KABIBBLE, I'M IN LOVE WITH WILL ROGERS = WHAT DO YOU THINK OF HIM AS AN ACTOR?
—ADELE BENT
I SAW AN IMITATION OF HIM AND HE'S TERRIBLE!!

Passing the Gentle Boost

Frothingham Phibbs On Radio and the Voice of His Wife

By Nat N. Dorfman

"WHAT do you think of the radio, my dear?" asked Amanda Phibbs, cashier and chief spendthrift of the firm of Frothingham, Phibbs & Co., as her husband puffed smoke rings.

"You might as well ask me what I think of the Lucy Stone League, long skirts and the newly patented home pants presser," Phibbs responded. "I have no use for any of 'em."

"See here," replied Mrs. Phibbs, "I insist on having a radio set in our home. As a matter of fact, I've already bought one, but for the life of me I can't see why you have any objection to a harmless instrument like the radio."

"You can't," retorted Phibbs, rising to his full height of five feet three inches. "I don't care a rap about listening to bedtime yarns, political entreaties, blue law sermons, advice to farmers on how to raise oats and pigs, temperance squawks, or nature lectures. When I come home at night I want peace and quiet."

"So you think I talk too much, eh?" shouted Amanda, her arms flying dangerously near her spouse's nose. "Well, I'll have you understand I've never talked as much as I'd like to."

Phibbs sank in a heap in his seat.

"Gracious me," he said feebly. "No?"

"No, and what's more, I might as well tell you right now that the radio set is already in this house and you'll have to make the best of it. And since you crave so much peace this evening, why, I'll oblige you and leave you to yourself so you won't have to listen to me for a few hours anyhow."

And with that she donned her hat and coat, leaving the crestfallen Phibbs at the crest of what promised to be an even more exciting evening.

As he stepped into his den for a little rest, behold, there reposed an innocent looking machine! In his den! Wow! Laughter gave way to anger as Phibbs began tinkering with it. It seemed that ages had passed until he heard something like a clickety click sound.

"Hm," he breathed easier. "Now, for a change, I'll hear somebody else talk."

To his astonishment the voice of a man was clearly heard. It said:

"Station C. O. D. talking." (It didn't sound promising to Phibbs, not with that particular station on the wire.) "We have with us this evening on our special test program a woman of real distinction—a woman of charm and personality—one who has made her mark in life—a woman who is a shining example to America for her fight for woman's rights.

"She has chosen as her subject a subject of interest to every married woman in the country, 'How to Put a Husband in His Proper Place.' Let me introduce Mrs. Amanda Phibbs."

Frothy stared, open-eyed. His hands quivered as his wife's voice came trickling over the radio; he sank in a heap on the floor. His sole desire was to have peace that evening. He succeeded. He fainted dead away.

The Winning Nifties

Why is a room full of married people like an empty room?

Because there is not a single person in it. C. V. GOGGIN.
40 Auckland street, Dorchester.

If a devil lost his tail where would he go to replace it?

To a moonshiner who retails evil spirits. JOHN DOWLING.
357 Highland avenue, Malden, Mass.

"Will there ever be a woman President?"

"No. The Constitution says the President must be over forty-five years old and women don't get that old."

THOMAS McDONALD.
662 Cambridge street, East Cambridge, Mass.

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THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boston American will pay $1 for "Best Joke" published. Address "Jokes," Boston American.

An Irishman was seated in a train beside a pompous individual who was accompanied by a dog. "Foine dog ye have," said the Irishman. "Phwat kind is it?"

"A cross between an Irishman and an ape," the man replied.

"Shure an' it's related to both of us," the Irishman replied.

MISS HELEEN RIVERS.
Three Rivers, Mass.

READ THESE ADS

WANTED—A colored maid, purple preferred. Must have worked at least ten years for former employer and be willing to work ten more for experience before salary expected. An ambitious girl desired. One who is willing to start in the laundry and work up, our apartment being on the top floor. Phone Ella Stupid, Gr-r-r-r 80.

FOR SALE—Teresa, our lovable old cow, who for 30 years has been a faithful cud-chewin' companion. She never give no milk but she kept the front lawn chewed as purty as anything you ever saw. Have a very good reason for selling, as we have moved to a flat and have no lawn. Call, Suite 16, Charles River.

TO LET—I am going abroad and will rent my shaving mug to a well recommended young lady who will give it faithful care. She must be of exemplary habits and not given to throwing things about in fits of pique. I wouldn't have my mug smashed for anything. Address by female only. Eddie Gills, Elkon Club, Tremont.

WANTED—A silencer for the cat's meow. Every night May, my Maltese cat, gets cross and whines. Night by night, it is a fright, she's surely gettin' worser. Anything but chloroform will be appreciated. Call on Joe Awful, Grogan Lane, Charlestown.

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And That's That!

Mrs.—Oh, why do you ask such a thing, to be sure!

Mr.—Why do I ask such a thing? To be sure.

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PAST DEFEATS DON'T MEAN FAILURE ALWAYS.

Are you worrying too much about the past?

Your poor efforts, your mistakes, the things you ought to have done and the things you ought not to have done, are the things you keep in mind, rather than what you should do in future.

The more you worry about the past the less time you have to think of the present and the future.

Forget your mistakes and misfortunes of past years except to provide information and furnish danger signals for the future.

Mistakes in judgment which you thought quite right at the time and have proven poor with the passing, should make you better prepared to reach success now.

Because you have met with defeats in the past should not convince you that you are a failure.

It is well to know the pitfalls before you engage in any undertaking and knowing you can avoid them.

Don't consider yourself a down-and-outer, but get yourself together and go at it again.

——Give Nifty to Christmas Basket Fund——

Flapper Fairy Tales

Ludwig—How would you like to take a spin in my new roadster?

Georgette—No, let's take a ride on the bus instead. It's higher up and we'd get lots more fresh air.

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This Day in Our History—December 7, 1922

THIS is the anniversary of the first Presidential election in the U. S., in 1789. For his services to the Colonies, his genius and his wisdom, George Washington was chosen unanimously for this great office

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If This is Your Birthday

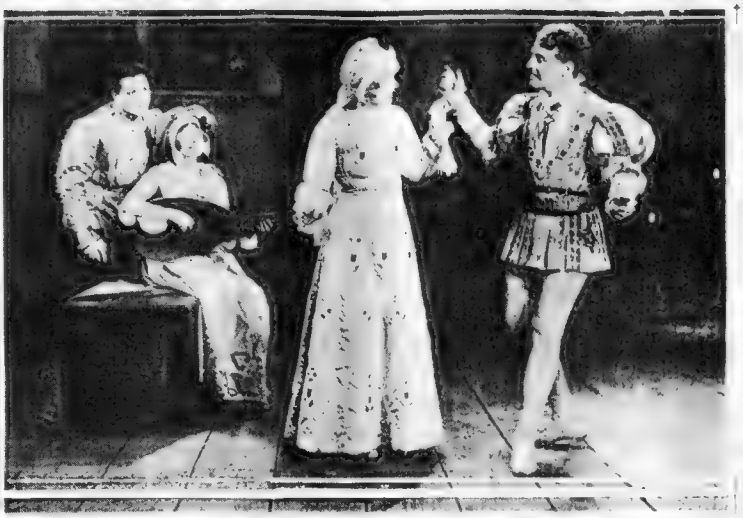
YOU have an inherent ability of judgment, but not one that is apt to waste much time in details. Today is one of extremely perilous portent. Avoid all high places. Do not travel more than absolutely necessary.

WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER

See This Romance of Princess Mary Tudor Starring Marion Davies in Super Motion Pictures Which Are Now Showing at the Park Theatre

†World-Famous Story of the All-Conquering Power of Love Over the Heart of the Wilful and Beautiful Sister of the Autocratic King Henry VIII.

By Charles Major



Mary and Brandon practicing a few steps

A GAIN a quotation from Hull is substituted.

Mondaye the vi daye of Nouber, ther the sayde quene was reconyed into the cytee of Parys after the order that followeth. First the garde of the cytee met her with cote armyde Denyes al in coates of goldesmythes woorke with shippes grit, and after them next her al the prestes and religious whiche were esteemed to be thi. The quene was in a chare coured about, but not her owne person, in white cloths of golde, the horses that drawe it ocovred in clothe of golde, on her hed a coronall, al of greate perles, her backe and brest full of lorle, before her wente a garde of Almaynes after ther faccion, and after them al noblemen, as the Dolphyn, the Duke of Burbon, Cardynalles, and a greate nomber of estates, aboute her person rode the kynges garde the whiche wer Scottes. On the morowe bega the justes, and the quene stode so that men might see her, and wonder at her beautie, and the kynge was feble and lay on a couche for weakenes.

So Mary was twice married to Louis, and although she was his queen fast and sure enough, she was not his wife.

You may say what you will, but I like a fighting woman: one with a touch of the savage in her when the occasion arises; one who can fight for what she loves as well as around what she hates. She usually loves as she fights—with all her heart.

So Mary was crowned and was now a queen, hedged about by the utmost dignity that hedgeth royalty.

It seemed that she was climbing higher and higher and the time from France but to her heart every day she was brought nearer to him.

There was one thing that troubled her greatly and all the time. Henry had given his word that Brandon shou d be l ave d as soon as Mary had left the shores of England, but we had heard nothing of this matter although we had received several letters from home. A doubt of her brother, in whom she had little faith at best, made an ache in her heart, which seemed at times likely to break it—so she said. One night she dreamed that she had witnessed Brandon's execution, her brother standing by in excellent humor at the prank he was playing her, and it so worked upon her waking hours that by evening she was ill. At last I received a letter from Brandon—which had been delayed along the road—containing one for Mary. It told of his full pardon and restoration to favor, greater even than before; and her joy was so sweet and quiet, and yet so acutely delicious, that I tell you plainly it brought tears to my eyes and I could not hold them back.

The marriage, when once determined upon, had not cast her down nearly so deep as I had expected, and soon she grew to be quite cheerful and happy. This filled me with regret, for I thought of how Brandon must suffer, and felt that her heart was a poor flimsy thing to take this trouble so lightly.

I spoke to Jane about it, but she only laughed. "Mary is all right," said she. "Do not fear. Matters will turn out better than you think perhaps. You know she generally [illegible] has her own way [illegible] If [illegible] give, pardie give it Jane. I feel [illegible] not take the trouble to speak to [illegible]

[illegible] hat—which I had been carrying under my arm—to the head—it a few capers in entirely new and ecstatic [illegible] at their brave back and knowed that Harrison down here thought I had gone stark mad and her eyes grew big with wonder but washed proudly back to her after my victory over the kings and reassured her—with a few of Mary's messages that I had [illegible] Then we made ar-

[illegible] ding it was, and a play life it has been [illegible]

To Be Continued Tomorrow.

WHEN A GIRL MARRIES

By Ann Lisle

BY now a space had been cleared in the centre of the roof and the guests were beginning to dance to the strains of a gay fox - trot. None of our party paid the least attention. I realized that the consensus of opinion was that as our guest of honor didn't dance we'd not intro duce an element which might suggest that we weren't strictly of our world or of the time.

But when the next dance started it turned out to be a waltz. At the first winsome strains of "Mighty Lak a Rose," Mrs. Wil blossomed into new animation. She tilted her head from side to side in perfect rhythm with the music. I smiled approval, with no thought that the way she was marking time might mean anything in particular. But after a moment or two Max Hoadley asked.

"Would I be a selfish old man if I asked our guest of honor to honor me with a turn?"

It seemed to me as he spoke the same magic from Miss Ma had bewitched the squat man so that he spoke Jewish instead of h usual tongue. She turned to him with a very dainty grace and said:

"I used to love to waltz when I was a young girl. If my niece and nephews say I may I'd love to try again."

"Go to it, you darling," cried Park. "And now that we've got you started, here's the boy who speaks to teach you your first jazz steps. I owe you something for teaching me to think about being a useful citizen, don't I? Go get fit to daze."

"Shall I, Mrs. Harrison?" asked Miss May with a sweet shyness.

"Anne says, 'Please do, Aunt May.'" I replied, smiling encouragement.

"What do you say, partner?" asked Park quickly, as the dancers made their way from the table. "Shall we fight a duel for Mrs. Anne Harrison, or shall we two old fogies talk business and let the young people carry off the pep?"

You have no chance to learn or not to read Mr. Lucas talk it up quickly to save me any embarrassment. "I've been so tied up lately with the office and [illegible] that I've [illegible] to prove the truth of [illegible] Now here goes to tie up a red rag and pin off with the lady."

So I found myself swept out onto the floor and into the swing of a love [illegible] ng, nonsensical waltz. We danced very [illegible] at first [illegible] and then [illegible] waltzed with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Largest Evening Circulation in New England

The Moon at the Bull's Eye

THE December full moon is so close to the red star Aldebaran, the "eye" of the celestial bull, Taurus, that in some parts of the world the star will be seen occulted, by the moon passing over it. Winter full moons "run high."

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Fur Coats in Summer

THE Turkish peasants in Asia Minor believe in keeping out of the heat as well as the cold, and it is not uncommon to see, in many parts of the country, people wearing huge bearskin coats in Summer.

KIMONO, By JOHN PARIS

Great Exposure of How Japanese Treat Their Women

SUPPRESSED BY JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

This startling and intensely interesting story of the Cherry Blossom Kingdom, telling what the Japanese think of women, was suppressed by the Japanese government. The expose has stunned Europe and opened the eyes of the world to what has really been going on. John Paris, the author, was an English diplomat there for years.

"WHAT?" grandfather exploded in one of those fits of rage common to old men in Japan; "give the daughter of the elder branch to a butler, to a man whose father ran between rickshaw shafts? If the spirit of Katsudo has not heard this foolish talk it would be a good thing for us. Already there is a hail Inge. By doing such a thing it will become worse and worse, until the whole house of Fujinami is ruined. This Ito is a rascal, a thief, a good-for-nothing, a——"

The old gentleman collapsed.

Again the council separated, still undecided, except for one thing, that the claim of Mr. Ito to the hand of Asako was quite inadmissible.

When the "family prime minister" next pressed his master on the subject, Mr. Fujinami had to confess that the proposal had been rejected.

Then Ito unmasked his batteries, and his patron had to realize that the servant was a servant no longer.

Ito said that it was necessary for him to have Asa San and that before the end of the year. He was in love with this girl. Passion was an overwhelming thing.

"Two things have ever been the same

Since the Ages of the Gods—

The flowing of water,

And the way of Love."

This old Japanese poem he quoted as his excuse for what would otherwise be an inexcusable impertinence. The master was aware that politics in Japan were in an unsettled state, and that the new Cabinet was scarcely established, that a storm would overthrow it, and that the Opposition were already looking about for a suitable scandal to use for their revenge. He, Ito, held the evidence which they desired—the full story of the Tobita concession, with the names and details of the enormous bribes distributed by the Fujinami. If these things were published, the government would certainly fall; also the Tobita concession would be lost and the whole of that great outlay; also the Fujinami's leading political friends would be discredited and ruined. There would be a big trial and exposure, and outcry, and judgment, and prison. The master must excuse his servant for speaking so rudely to his benefactor. But in love there are no scruples, and he must have Asa San. After all, after his long service, was his request so unreasonable?

Thoroughly Scared

Mr. Fujinami Gentaro, thoroughly scared, protested that he himself was in favor of the match. He begged for time and for Ito to try to convert the other members of the family council.

"Perhaps," suggested Ito, "if Asa San were sent away from Akasaka, perhaps if she were living alone. It would be more easy to manage. What is absent is soon forgotten. Mr. Fujinami Gennosuke is a very old gentleman, he would soon forget. Baron Sen could then take her proper position as the only daughter of the Fujinami. Was there not a small house on the river side at Mukojima, which had been rented for Asa San? Perhaps she would like to live there—quite alone."

"Perhaps Ito Kun would visit her from time to time," said Mr. Fujinami, pleased with the idea; "she will be so lonely; there is no knowing."

The one person who was never consulted, and who had not the remotest notion of what was going on, was Asako herself.

Asako was most unhappy. The disappearance of Fujinami Takeshi exasperated the competition between herself and her cousin. Just as formerly, all Sadako's intelligence and charm had been exerted to attract her English relative to the house in Akasaka, so now she applied all her force to drive her cousin out of the family circle. For many weeks now Asako had been ignored; but after the return from Ikegami a positive persecution commenced. Although the nights were growing chilly, she was given no extra bedding. Her meals were no longer served to her; she had to get what she could from the kitchen. The servants, imitating their mistress's attitude, were deliberately disobliging and rude to the little foreigner.

Sadako and her mother would sneer at her awkwardness and at her ignorance of Japanese customs. Her hair was tied, a 'yhow; for she had no maid. Her hair was untidy, for she was not allowed a hairdresser.

They nicknamed her nashamen (goat face), using an ugly slang word for a foreigner's Japanese mistress; and they would pretend that she smelt like a European.

"Kusai! Kusai! (Stink! Stink!)" they would say.

The war even was used to bait Asako. Every German success was greeted with acclamation. The exploits of the Emden were loudly praised; and the tragedy of Coronel was gloried over with satisfaction.

"The Germans will win because they are brave," said Sadako.

"The English lose too many prisoners. Japanese soldiers are never taken prisoner."

"When the Japanese general ordered the attack on Tsingtao, the English regiment ran away."

Cousin Sadako declared her intention of studying German.

"Nobody will speak English now," she said. "The English are disgraced. They cannot fight."

"I wish Japan would make war on the English," Asako answered bitterly, "you would get such a beating that you would never boast again. Look at my husband," she added proudly; "he is so big and strong and brave. He could pick up two or three Japanese generals like toys and knock their heads together."

Even Mr. Fujinami Gentaro joined once or twice in these debates, and announced sententiously:

Twenty Years Ago

"Twenty years ago Japan defeated China and took Korea. Ten years ago we defeated Russia and took Manchuria. This year we defeat Germany and take Tsingtao. In ten years we shall defeat America and take Hawaii and the Philippines. In twenty years we shall defeat England and take India and Australia. Then we Japanese shall be the most powerful nation in the world. This is our divine mission."

It was characteristic of the loyalty of Asako's nature that, although very ignorant of the war, of its causes and its vicissitudes, yet she remained fiercely true to England and the allies, and could never accept the Japanese detachment. Above all, the thought of her husband's danger haunted her. Waking and sleeping she could see him, sword in hand, leading his men to victory, or in the last struggles, like those portrayed in the crude Japanese chromographs, which Sadako showed her to play upon her fears. Poor Asako! How she hated Japan now! How she loathed the cramped, draughty, uncomfortable life! How she feared the smiling faces and the watchful eyes, from which it seemed she never could escape!

Christmas was at hand, the season of pretty presents and good things to eat. Her last Christmas she had spent with Geoffrey on the Riviera. Lady Everington had been there. They had watched the pigeon shooting in the warm sunlight. They had gone to the opera in the evening—Madam Butterfly! Asako had imagined herself in the role of the heroine, so gentle, so faithful, waiting and waiting in her little wooden house for the big white husband—who never came. What was that? she heard the strains of his ship saluting the harbor. He was coming back to her at last—but not alone! A woman was with him, a white woman!

In Her Bare Room

Alone, in her bare room—her only companion a flaky yellow chrysanthemum nodding in the draught—Asako sobbed and sobbed as though her heart were breaking. Somebody tapped at the sliding shutter. Asako could not answer. The shoji was pushed open, and Tanaka entered.

Asako was glad to see him. Alone of the household Tanaka was still deferential in his attitude towards his late mistress. He was always ready to talk about the old times which gave her a bitter pleasure.

"If Ladyship is so sad," he began, as he had been coached in his part beforehand by the Fujinami, "why Ladyship stay in this house? Change house, change trouble, we say."

"But where can I go?" Asako asked helplessly.

"Ladyship has pretty house by river brink," suggested Tanaka. "Ladyship can stay two month, three month. Then the spring time come and Ladyship feel quite happy again. Even I, in the Winter season, I find the mind very distress. It is often so."

To be alone, to be free from the daily insults and cruelty that in itself would be happiness to Asako.

"But will Mr. Fujinami allow me to go?" she asked timorously.

"Ladyship must be brave," said the counselor. "Ladyship is not prisoner. Ladyship must say, I go. But perhaps I can arrange matter for Ladyship."

"Oh, Tanaka, please, please do. I'm so unhappy here."

"I will hire cook and maid for Ladyship. I myself will be seneschal."

Plan Working

Mr. Fujinami Gentaro and his family were delighted to hear that their plan was working so smoothly, and that they could so easily get rid of their embarrassing cousin. The "seneschal" was instructed at once to see about arrangements for the house, which had not been lived in since its new tenancy.

Next evening, when Asako had spread the two quilts on the gold en matting, when she had lit the rushlight in the square andon, when the two girls were lying side by side under the heavy wadded bedclothes, Sadako said to her cousin:

"And Chan, I do not think you like me now as much as you used to like me."

"I always like people when I have once liked them," said Asako, "but everything is different now."

"I see, your heart changes quickly," said her cousin bitterly.

"No, I have tried to change, but I cannot change. I have tried to become Japanese, but I cannot even learn the Japanese language. I do not like the Japanese way of living. In Japan, and in England I was always happy. I don't think I shall every be happy again."

"You ought to be more grateful," said Sadako severely. "We have saved you from your husband, who was cruel and deceitful——"

Hope Cut Off

"No, I don't believe that now. My husband and I loved each other always. You people came between us with wicked lies and separated us."

"Anyhow, you have made the choice. You have chosen to be Japanese. You can never be English again."

The Fujinami had hypnotized Asako with this phrase, as a hen can be hypnotized with a chalk line. Day after day it was dinned into her ears, cutting off all hope of escape from the country or of appeal to her English friends.

"You had better marry a Japanese," said Sadako, "for you will become old maid. Why not marry Ito San? He says he likes you. He is a clever man. He has plenty of money. He is used to foreign ways."

"Marry Mr. Ito!" Asako exclaimed, aghast; "but he has a wife already."

"They will divorce. It is no trouble. There are not even children."

"I would rather die than marry any Japanese," said Asako with conviction.

Sadako Fujinami turned her back and pretended to sleep; But long through the dark cold night Asako could feel her turning restlessly to and fro.

Some time about midnight Asako heard her name called:

"Asa Chan, are you awake?"

"Yes, is anything the matter?"

"Asa Chan, in your house by the river you will be lonely. You will not be afraid?"

"I am not afraid to be lonely," Asako answered; "I am afraid of people."

"Look!" said her cousin; "I give you this."

She drew from the bosom of her kimono the short sword in its sheath of shagreen, which Asako had seen once or twice before.

"It is very old," she continued; "it belonged to my mother's people. They were samurai of the Sendai clan. In old Japan every noble girl carried such a short sword; for she said, 'Better death than dishonor.' When the time came to die she would strike—here, in the throat, not too hard, but pushed strongly. But first she would tie her feet together with the obidome, the silk string which you have to hold your obi straight.

Immodest Attitude

"That was in case the legs open too much; she must not die in immodest attitude. So when General Nogi did harakiri at Emperor Meiji's funeral, his wife, Countess Nogi, killed herself also with such a sword. I give you my sword because in the house by the river you will be lonely—and things might happen. I can never use the sword myself now. It was the sword of my ancestors. I am not pure now. I cannot use the sword. If I kill myself I throw myself into the river like a common geisha. I think it is best you marry Ito. In Japan it is bad to have a husband, but to have no husband, it is worse."

CHAPTER XXVI

Alone in Tokyo

Kuraki yori,
Kuraki michi ni wa,
Iri-no Tsuki!
Haruka ni terase,
Yama ha no tsuki!
Out of the dark,
Into a dark path
I now must enter!
Shine for me from afar,
Moon of the mountain fringe!

SOME days before Christmas Asako had moved into her own little house.

To be free, to have escaped from the watchful eyes and the whispering tongues, to be at liberty to walk about in streets and to visit the shops, as an independent lady of Japan—these were such unfamiliar joys for her that for a time she forgot how unhappy she really was, and how she longed for Geoffrey and Lady Everington. Only in the evenings a sense of insecurity rose with the river mists and a memory of Sadako's warning shivered through the lonely room with the bitter cold of the Winter air.

It was then that Asako felt for the little dagger resting hidden in her bosom [illegible] and little square cakes of ground rice, filled with a kind of bean paste called "an." She kept Tanaka in the room all the time; for Sadako's remarks about marriage with Ito had alarmed her. He was most agreeable, however, and made a recount

FORBES' VIEWS ON FINANCE

By B. C. Forbes

Fear is usually a poor motive for any act.

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These stock dividends, capital increases special, etc., etc., are, as a rule, inspired not by any sound economic reasoning, but simply by fear of possible fresh tax impositions by Congress.

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When this mania started, security holders received each announcement with applause. This column cautioned against undue exuberance, and pointed out that the doubling of the number of shares of a company was simply equivalent to changing a two-dollar bill into two singles.

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The mania has now gone so far that it threatens, in my mind, to bring important consequences. Without doubt not a few of the companies that are now increasing their capital stock, will not be able to maintain their customary dividend rates. And when dividend rates come to be reduced, the fact that the number of shares to receive dividends was increased is likely to be forgotten, and the consequence that the effect upon the security markets and upon general business sentiment is liable to be dangerous and injurious.

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The ignorance prevailing regarding the make up of "surpluses" is appalling, even among those who undertake to write on financial subjects. It is erroneously assumed that every corporation's "surplus" consists of hard cash, of government bonds or such like readily marketed assets.

Alas, many a corporation shown on its books and balance sheet millions of "surplus" when as a matter of cold fact, it hasn't any surplus cash whatsoever or other readily marketed bonds.

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A surplus, in most instances, merely reflects the actual or estimated difference between the amount of obligation outstanding and the estimated value of the company's assets.

This "surplus" most often consists of buildings, equipment, machinery, even so intangible a thing as good will.

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It is deeply regrettable that the air should be so filled with issues and rumors of impending raids upon corporate treasuries by the tax loaving politicians that there is a stampede to organize, to reorganize, to multiply the number of shares outstanding, and to resort to other tactics designed to forestall fresh tax levies.

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Surpluses are extremely desirable, since they make for investment stability, industrial development and national progress.

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There is already a law on the statute book providing for a 25 per cent. tax on any corporate surplus accumed "beyond the reasonable needs of the business."

The current fear, however, appears to be that legislation will be levied on surpluses not beyond the reasonable needs of a business.

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Replies to Investors

Queries of interest to investors will be answered in this column or by mail. Send questions, with stamped, self-addressed envelope, to Friend H. Nelson, Financial Editor, Boston American, No. 80 Summer street, Boston, Mass.

MINERAL DEPOSITS.

To F. B., Newburyport—Not infrequently I receive letters from people who have made discoveries of iron, copper, coal or other deposits and who wish aid in securing development. It is to be regretted that most of these people are doomed to disappointment. There are so many mineral deposits awaiting development that capital, while not uninterested, is not available for all. It costs a great deal of money to open up a mine.

UNION PACIFIC.

To S. T., Jamaica Plain—Union Pacific has $386,325,800 of funded debt, including equipment trust obligations. It also has $75,000,000 of guarantee bonds, or total funded obligations of $461,325,800. These are followed by $99,543,500 non-cumulative 4 per cent. preferred stock and $252,293,100 common stock. It shows a very good balance between funded debt and stock, former comprising about 58.6 per cent. of total capitalization, a percentage which is lower than that of many of the high-grade American railroads.

Canadian Pacific's funded debt is $309,496,432 followed by $50,681,921 4 per cent. preferred stock and $260,000,000 common stock, or a total of $249,681,921 stock. Funded debt is thus only 47.5 per cent. of total capitalization, which is a very low ratio.

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STEEL SELLS AT FRESH HIGH ON RECOVERY

With Doheny oils all at new 1922 tops, the New York market was generally strong. U. S. Steel sold at a fresh high on its recovery.

Pan-American ranged its double par for the first time in two years. Mexican Petroleum, up 4 at 245, made a record top. New highs for 1922 were also announced by Cerro de Pasco, Hudson Motor and May Stores, the last on announcement of 30 per cent. stock dividend. Atlantic Refining lifted 15 at 1245.

General Electric rose more than 3 points. Continental Can made a record high at 107¾. American Ice rose around 5 points.

Standard Oil of California soared 4¾ at 202¼. Marland Oil was up 2. California Pete was off 2⅞ at 58⅝.

There was heavy buying of Baldwin, General Asphalt and the shippings. Northern Pacific and Great Northern preferred, however, were weak. Tidewater Oil rose 5 and Woolworth 3¾.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

DEMAND STERLING AGAIN AT 3-YEAR TOP

Demand sterling was again at a high for three years. Foreign demands were:

	Sterling	Francs (French)	Francs (Belgian)	Guilders	German marks	Rumanian, lei	Canadian dollar	Argentine pesos
	$4.57	6.75¾	6.45¾	39.50	1.50	0.60	1.00	3.85
Wednesday:	4.56¾	6.76¾	6.45¾	39.50	1.50	0.60	1.00	3.85
Tuesday:	4.56¾	6.76¾	6.45¾	39.50	1.50	0.60	1.00	3.85
Monday:	4.56¾	6.76¾	6.45¾	39.50	1.50	0.60	1.00	3.85

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FRESH UPTURNS IN PRICES FOR WHEAT

In the Chicago pit new upturns in wheat prices took place, fresh strength developing quickly after some weakness at the start. The opening, which ranged from ¼ to ⅝c lower, with May 1.15⅞ to 1.16⅛ and July 1.07⅝ to 1.07¾, was followed by a rise all around to above Wednesday's finish.

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CONTINENTAL CAN READJUSTMENT PLAN

Continental Can directors have recommended, subject to approval of stockholders, readjustment of capital whereby 2 2-3 shares of new no par common stock will be issued to hold new for each share of present stock held.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

COTTON FUTURES PRICES ARE STEADY

New York cotton futures were steady. December sold up 1 point at 24.52; January, down 8 at 24.48; March, down 10 at 24.65; May, down 10 at 24.64; July, down 7 at 24.

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Waltham Trust Extra

Waltham Trust Company has declared an extra dividend of 1 per cent. in addition to regular dividend of 2 per cent., both payable January 2 to stock of record December 23.

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New York Curb

By Cosmopolitan News Service.

Prices on the New York Curb were:

Angle-Amer Oil	19¼	Gulf Oil Pa	58½	Ohio Fuel Supply	39¾
Boston Oil	3	Gulf States Steel	75¾	Ohio Oil	202¼
Boston & Wyoming Oil	1	Houston Oil	69¾	Omar Inc	1
Candelaria Silver	1	Hudson Motor	70¾	Pan-Amer Petroleum	245
Cities Service B	39¾	Hupp Motor Car (1)	24½	Penn-Mex Fuel	25
Curb Syndicate	1	Illinois Central (7)	107¾	Pierce Oil pfd	50
Consolidated Copper	15	Imperial Oil of Canada	19¾	Prairie Oil & Gas	39
Continental Motors	7¾	Inspiration Copper	34	Prairie Pipe Line	157
Durant Motors of Indiana	19¾	Int Mer Mar pf (6)	48½	Radio Corp of America	19¾
Emerald Oil	1	Int Mer Mar pf (6)	48½	Ray Hercules	5
Federal Light & Traction	7	Inter Petroleum	31¾	Republic Iron & Steel	77¾
Gilmore Oil	1	Invincible Oil	19¾	Royal Dutch (N Y)	58¾
Glenrock Oil Corp	1	Island Oil & Trans	1¾	Salt Creek Producers	19¾
Glidden Co	1	Jewell Tea	21	Sapulpa Refining	1
Goodrich (B F) Co	24¾	Kayser & Co	3	Shell Transport & Trading	24¾
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	24¾	Kelly Springfield Tire	43½	Simms Petroleum	2¾
Gray & Davis	3	Keystone Tire & R	9	Standard Oil of Kansas	1
Gt Western Sug	24¾	Lake Erie & W	2	Standard Oil of Ky	1
Gt Western Sug pf (6)	85½	Lehigh Valley (3½)	64	Standard Oil of N J	245
Gulf Oil	58½	Lima Locomotive	24	Stewart Motor	1

Boston Curb

Boston Curb prices were:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Amalie	1	1	1	1
Arcadia	15	15	15	15
Bradley Silver	3	3	3	3
Bay State Gas	6	6	6	6
Boston & Maine	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾
Boston & Mont Corp	42¾	43	42¾	43
Boston & Mont Oil	1	1	1	1
Calumet	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Calaveras	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Champ Cop (new)	22¾	23	22¾	23
Davis	1	1	1	1
Dubilier	1	1	1	1
Eagle Crescent	29¾	30¾	29¾	30¾
Gold Head	1	1	1	1
Mid Dlv of Mass Tr	19¾	20	19¾	20
New Jersey Zinc	4	4	4	4
Shaw Mines	85	90	85	90
Submarine Signal	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
U W Miami (pref)	65¾	70	65¾	70
Un Tractor Ext	27	27	27	27
Yerda Cen Co	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Yerda Cen pf	75	75	75	75

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1922 High	1922 Low	Stock and Div. Rate in $	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Close	Prev. Close
25	10¼	Advance Rumely	12½	13⅛	11⅞	13⅛	13⅛	12⅝
88	43½	Air Reduction (4)	60	60	58½	59¾	60	59¾
18¾	8½	Alax Rubber	12	12	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
1¾	¼	Alaska Gold Mines	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
89⅛	21⅝	Allis-Chal Mfg (4)	44	44⅝	44	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝
91¾	38¼	Allied Chem & D (4)	72	72	71¾	72	72	72
42¾	27¼	Am Ag Chem	31	31	29¾	30½	30½	30¼
43	21¼	Am Beet Sugar	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾		
43	21¼	Am Bosch Magneto	35	35	35	35		
76½	32¾	Am Can (8)	71¾	72¾	71½	71¾	71¾	
201	141	Am Car & Fdy (12)	183	183	183	184½	184½	
14	8	Am Chicle	7¾	8	7¾	8		
30½	14¾	Am Cotton Oil	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	
17¾	4½	Am Druggist Syn	4½	4½	4½	4½	4½	
11¾	10¼	Am Hide & L pf	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	
74½	58	Am Hide & L pf	62½	62½	60¾	62¾	63	
122	78	Am Ice (7)	105¾	109¾	103¾	104½	104½	
95½	72	Am Ice pf (6)	87	87	87	87		
80¾	34¾	Am International	37¾	38	37¾	38	38	
13½	8¼	Am La? Fire En (1)	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	12¾	
42½	20	Am Linseed	35	35	35	35	35	
138½	102	Am Locomotive (6)	122¾	123¾	122¾	123	123½	
131½	112	Am Loco pf (7)	122¾	123¾	122¾	122¾	123	
82½	44	Am Metals (4)	47	47	47	47		
8½	3¾	Am Saf Razor (18c)	7	7	6¾	6¾	7	
25½	8½	Am Ship & Com	19½	21¼	19½	21	19	
67¾	47¼	Am Smelting & Ref	53¾	53¾	52¾	53	53¾	
104½	86½	Am Sm & Ref pf(7)	99¾	99¾	98¾	99¾	99¾	
127¾	83¾	Am Snuff (12)	98	98	98	98	98	
48¾	30¼	Am Steel Foun (3)	44¾	44¾	43¼	44¾	44¾	
84¾	84½	Am Sugar Refining	75¾	75¾	74½	74½	75¾	
47	20¾	Am Sumatra Tob	28	28	28	28	28	
128½	114½	Am Tel & Tel (9)	122¾	124	122	123¾	124	
142¾	128¾	Am Tobacco (12)	154	154½	153¾	154½	154½	
169½	138	Am Tob Cl B (12)	150¾	151¾	150¾	151½	150¾	
32½	8	Am W W & Elec	28¾	28¾	28¾	27¾	28¾	
82½	44	Am Woolen (12)	47	47	47	47	47	
37½	27¾	Am Writing Pap pf	28½	28½	28½	28½	28½	
37	36	Am Zinc L & S pf	49	49				
47¾	27¾	Anaconda Copper	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	
69½	43	Asso Dry Goods (4)	66½	66½	66½	67	67	
108½	89	Atch T & S Fe (6)	103¾	104¾	103¾	104¾	104¾	
85½	68	Atch T & S Fe pf(4)	81¾	81¾	81¾	83¾	83¾	
8¾	5¾	Atlanta Birm & At	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	
1245	1145	Atlantic Ref Co (1.75)	1145	1145	1145	1145	1145	
8½	1¾	Atlantic Fruit	2	2	2	2	1¾	
48	30	Atlantic Gulf & W I	45¾	46	45¾	46	46	
1248	900	Atlantic Gulf & W I pf	1245	1248	1245	1248	1248	
60¾	9¼	Austin-Nichols	33¾	33¾	32¾	33¾	33¾	
142¾	128¾	Baldwin Loco (7)	137	137	135¾	135¾	135¾	
40¾	35½	Balt & Ohio	42¾	43¾	42	43¾	43¾	
67¾	46	Barnett Leather	48	48				
36¾	31¾	Barnsdall Class A	32¾	32¾	31¾	32	32	
38	17	Barnsdall, Class B	20½	21¼	20½	21¼	21	
127¾	80	Bethlehem Steel (8)	81¾	82	80	82¾	82¾	
79	51	Bethlehem Steel (8)	61¾	61¾	61	61¾	61¾	
97½	85½	Beth Steel Cl B (8)	93	93	91¾	93	93	
1245	900	Beth Steel pf (7)	1245	1245	1245	1245	1245	
1245	900	Bklyn Edison Et (8)	117	117	117	118	118	
24¾	9¾	Brooklyn Man Tran	15	15¾	15	15¾	15¾	
24½	9¾	Bklyn R T Offs dep	13¾	14¼	13¾	14	14	
148	116	Burns Bros (10)	145¼	147	145¼	146¾	146¾	
83	29¾	Burns Bros Cl B (12)	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾	
8¾	8¼	Butte Cop & Zinc	7¾	8	7¾	7¾	7¾	
38¾	20¾	Butte & Superior	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	
18¾	8¼	Caddo Cent Co & R	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	
11¾	8¼	Callahan Zinc Lead	7¾	8	7¾	8	7¾	
52¾	31¾	Calif Packing (4)	51¾	52¾	51¾	52¾	52¾	
43¾	43¼	Cal Petroleum	39¾	40¼	38	40¼	40¼	
83¾	83	Cal Pet pf (6)	83¾	83¾	83¾	83¾	83¾	
1815	1182	Can Pacific (10)	1411	1425	1407	1411	1411	
44¾	29¾	Central Leather	34¾	34¾	33¾	34¾	34¾	
107¾	94¾	Central Leather pf	94	94	94	94	94	
42¾	23¾	Cerro de Pasco Cop	42¾	43¾	42	43¾	43¾	
79¾	44¼	Chandler Motor (6)	62¾	62¾	61	62¾	62¾	
79	43¼	Chesa Corp of Can (4)	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾	
108¾	100¾	Ches & Ohio pf(8)(5)	101	101	101	100¾	101	
43¾	23¾	Chi & East Ill	30	30¼	27	29	30¼	
43¾	12¼	Chi & East Ill	30	30¼	27	29	30¼	
31¾	8¼	Chi & East Ill pf	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	
107¾	81¾	Chi & East Ill pf	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾	
44¾	29¾	Chi Great West pf	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	
39¾	29¾	Chi Mil & St Paul	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	
39	29	Chi Mil & St P pf	38½	38½	38½	38½	38½	
38¾	20¾	Chi & N West (8)	81¾	83¾	80¾	80¾	80¾	
83¾	74¾	Chi & N West pf (5)	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾	
83¾	70¾	Chi R I & P pf (7)	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	
108	83¾	Chi R I & P pf (7)	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	
29¾	19¾	Chile Copper	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	
33¾	21¼	Chino Copper	24	24¾	24	24	24¼	
24¾	13¾	Chile Exploration	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	
82¾	41	Coca-Cola (4)	77¾	77¾	76¾	76¾	76¾	
41¾	20¾	Col Fuel & Iron	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	
114½	64¾	Col Gas & El (4)	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾	
8¾	1¼	Columbia Graphite	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	
29¾	16¾	Com Cred pf (1.50)	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	
19¾	10¼	Com Tob Sec (6)	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	
19¾	10¼	Cu. Cigar	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	
158½	107¾	Continental Can	106¾	107¾	106¾	107	107¾	
168¾	86	Con Gas (8)	125½	127	125½	125½	125½	
19¾	8¾	Con Textile	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾	
100	80	Corn Prod Ref (8)	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾	
134¾	81¼	Coulden Co (4)	126¾	128¾	126¾	128¾	128¾	
86¾	62¾	Crucible Stl pf (7)	80	80	80	80	80	
99¾	18¼	Cuba Cane Sugar	13¾	14¼	13¾	14	13¾	
99¾	18¼	Cuba Cane Sugar pf	13¾	14¼	13¾	14	13¾	
24¾	16½	Cuban Am Sug pf(7)	100	100	100	100	100	
19¾	6¼	Cuba Cane Sugar	13¾	14¼	13¾	14	13¾	
19¾	6¼	Cuba Cane Sugar pf	13¾	14¼	13¾	14	13¾	
24¾	16½	Do Beers Mines	22¾	23¾	22¾	23¾	23¾	
24¾	16½	Do Beers Mines pf	22¾	23¾	22¾	23¾	23¾	
44¾	18½	Dome Mines (2)	44¾	46¾	41¾	42¾	44¾	
84¾	8	Eastman Kodak (8)	84	84	84	84		
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90¾	78¼	Endicott-John (8)	86¾	87	86¾	86¾	86¾	
30¾	7	Erie 1st	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	
19¾	11¾	Erie 1st pf	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	
29¾	17¾	Fisher	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	
21¾	12¼	Freeport-Texas	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	
19¾	12¼	General Asphalt	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	
148	128	Gen Elec (6)	134	135¾	134	134	135¾	
19¾	10¼	Gen Motors	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	
8¾	6¼	Goldwyn Pictures	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	
29¾	20¾	Goodrich (B F) Co	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	
29¾	20¾	Goodrich (B F) pf	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	
85¾	30¾	Gt Northern pf (7)	80¾	80¾	79¾	80¾	80¾	
29¾	20¾	Gt Northern Ore (4)	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	
84¾	44¾	Gulf States Steel	75¾	78¾	74¾	74¾	74¾	
91¾	41¼	Houston Oil	69¾	70¾	68	68	68	
24¾	16½	Hudson Motor Car (2)	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	
25	10¾	Hupp Mot Car (1)	24¾	25	24¾	24¾	24¾	
24¾	16½	Hupp Mot Car pfd	25	25	25	25	25	
116¾	87½	Illinois Central (7)	107¾	108	107	107¾	107¾	
48	37	Inspiration Copper	34	34	33¾	33¾	34	
19¾	10¼	Int Cement	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	
87¾	44¾	Int Mer Mar pf (6)	48½	51¾	49¾	50¾		
87¾	44¾	Int Mer Mar pf (6)	48½	51¾	49¾	50¾		
87¾	43½	Inter Paper	51¾	52¾	51¾	52¾	52¾	
20¾	12¾	Invincible Oil	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	
19¾	10¼	Iron Products	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	
23¾	18	Jewell Tea	21	20¾	20¾	20¾	21	
24¾	24¾	Jones Bros Tea (1)	51¾	53¾	51¾	51¾	51¾	
48¾	34	Kayser & Co	34	34	34	34	34	
83¾	24¾	Kelly Springfd Tire	43½	42¾	42¾	42¾	43	
83¾	24¾	Kelly Springfd Tire pf	43½	42¾	42¾	42¾	43	
24¾	4¾	Keystone Tire & R	9	8¾	9	9	8¾	
84¾	84	Lackawanna Steel	78¾	77	77	77	78	
39¾	10	Lake Erie & W	27	27	27	27	27	
87¾	66¾	Lehigh Valley (3½)	64	64	63¾	63¾	64	
72	48¾	Lima Locomotive	58	58	58	58	58	

*Ex dividend.

NEW BEDFORD MILLS PAY $9.07 A SHARE

Average dividend of all New Bedford cotton mills for 1922 amounted to $9.07 per share. Total disbursement of mills was over $5,000,492 on capitalization of $55,000,000. 1921 average was $9.19 per share, and in 1920, $26.17.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Points in Wednesday's Market

Total sales—New York, 866,900 shares; Boston, 13,181 shares.

Most active in day—New York—Studebaker, 81,100 shares.

Most active issue in Boston—Edison Electric ills., 9,835 shares.

Total sales, January 1, 1922, to date—New York, 238,578,508 shares.

Total sales, January 1, 1922, to date—Boston, 4,850,061 shares.

Corresponding period last year—New York, 167,872,850 shares.

Corresponding period last year—Boston, 2,784,565 shares.

PAIGE-DETROIT TO GIVE OUT 100 P. C.

Paige-Detroit Motor Car Company has declared stock dividend of 100 per cent. and cash dividend of 3 per cent. Stock dividend is payable December 29 to stock of record December 22, and cash dividend is payable January 2 to stock of record December 15.

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MASS. TRUST CO. PAYS 2 P. C. EXTRA

Massachusetts Trust Company has declared regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. and an extra of 2 per cent., both payable January 2 to stockholders of record December 27.

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Brewery Lifts Dividend

Montreal National Brewerie Co., Ltd., declared a dividend of 1¾ per cent. on common, against previous quarterly dividend of 1 per cent.

Curb Suspension

New York Curb Market Association announces suspension from regular membership of Edward Vermilye of Werner & McDermott, because of failure of the firm to meet its engagements.

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Beech-Nut Extra

Beech-Nut Packing Co. declared extra dividend of 48 cents a share on common stock, payable December 26 to stock of record Dec. 16.

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CONNOR STORES HAS SMART ADVANCE

J. T. Connor Stores had a smart advance, up 2¼ to 24¾, in a strong Boston market. New 32nd and 7th-phone added 1¾ at 121. Calumet & Hecla was 5 points higher at 895.

Eastern Steamship at 45, Island Creek Coal at 108¾ and Boston & Albany at 148 all took on 2 points.

Waldorf lifted 1¾ at 34 and Cities Service 1¾ at 154½.

United Shoe was active and added a point at 45¾.

Edison rights rose fractionally at 4, a new high since listing.

American Agricultural Chemical was the weak spot, off a point at 36¾.

Boston Stocks

Prices on the Boston Stock Exchange had the following changes:

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Am Tel & Tel	123¾	124	123¾	123¾
Am Woolen pf	110	110	110	110
Amoskeag	97	97	97	97
Amoskeag pf	82	82	82	82
Arcadia	1	1	1	1
Arizona Com	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Bangor & Aroos	45½	45½	45½	45½
Bigelow Hart	98	98	98	98
Boston & Maine	36	36¾	36	36¾
Boston & Mont	42¾	43	42¾	43
B & M pf (6)	61	61	61	61
B & M pf (5)	48	48	48	48
Boston Mont Oil	1	1	1	1
Boston Mex Pet	104	104	103	103
Boston Sand	15	15	12	12
Boston Wharf	19	19	19	19
Cal & Hecla	895	900	881	890
Calumet & Ariz	83	83	83	83
Calumet & Hecla	172	172¾	171¾	172¾
Centennial	27½	27½	27½	27½
Copper Range	47	47	46¾	47
Davis Daly	1	1	1	1
East Boston	7¾	8	7¾	8
East Butte	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
East Mass St pf	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
East Mass St pf	54	58	57¾	57¾
East Mass St pf	64½	64	64	64
East Mass St pf	84½	83	84½	85
Edison Electric	172	173¾	171¾	172¾
Fairbanks	31	31	31	31
Franklin	61	61	61	61
Gardner Motor	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Greene Cananea	7	7	7	7
Hancock Con	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Internat Nickel	1845	1845	1845	1845
Isle Royale	19	19	19	19
Kelsey Wheel	11¾	11¾	11	11
Lake Copper	3	3	3	3
Lake Shore	1	1	1	1
Lamson Store	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Lehigh Coal & Nav	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Loew's Inc	12	12	12	11¾
Loft Inc (4)	54¾	54¾	54¾	54¾
Mack Trucks	54¾	54¾	52¾	52¾
Mallinson & Co	32¾	33¾	32¾	32¾
Manhattan Shirt (3)	45¾	46¾	46¾	46¾
Marland Oil & R (4)	27¾	31	27¾	31
Maxwell Mot Cl A	48¾	48¾	48	48
Maxwell Mot Cl B	45¾	46¾	45¾	46¾
Mexican Pet (12)	238	245	238	245
Mex Seaboard (3)	15½	16	15½	15¾
Miami Copper (2)	26¾	27¾	26¾	27¾
Middle St Oil	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Midvale Steel	29	29	28	28¾
M K T (new)	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
M K & T pf (new)	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾
Missouri Pac pf	42¾	44	42¾	42¾
Moon Motors (1)	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Montgomery Ward	20¾	21¾	20¾	20¾
Mother Lode Coal	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Nor Pac & West (3)	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾
North American (8)	93¾	94	93¾	94
North Pacific (6)	75¾	76¾	75¾	76¾
Nat En & Stand (4)	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
Nat Lead (8)	117½	118¾	116¾	118¾
Nevada Consol Cop	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
N Y Central (8)	95¾	96¾	95	96
N Y N H & H	20¾	21¾	20¾	21
Okla Prod & Ref	2	2	2	2
Orpheum Circuit	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Otis Steel	8	8	8	8
Owens Bottle (2)	37	38	38	38
Pacific Develop	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Pan Am Pet Cl B (6)	93	93¾

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RUSSIANS GIVE TWO OPERAS EXCELLENTLY

"La Juive" (The Jewess), by Halevy was what the Russian Opera offered to a large audience last night and it proved to be the best of the operas that the company has given up to date.

Victor Vasilieff was the conductor and he it said that it was largely due to his untiring efforts that the performance was the outstanding success it was. He fairly outshone the others who wielded the baton in the early part of the week.

Again, the honors of the evening were to the men. Nikolai Hanaievsky, who had the role of Lazarus, was equalled in splendid voice and capital acting by David Dick Smirnoff, who played the part of the Cardinal. The Prince was taken by Vladimir Svetloff, who has some tones that are splendid but his voice is rather uneven in volume.

Rachel was sung by Nina Gushova. Here is a voice of splendid volume and power, which in the pianissimo tones has a quality of sweetness. It is only in the dramatic passages that there is a tendency to harshness. Princess Eudoxia was sung by Zena Ivanova, who did excellent work in the trio with Leonid Leopoldoff.

As a whole, the opera was splendidly done.

Strongly reminded of the old miracle plays, one heard an excellent presentation yesterday afternoon of Anton Rubinstein's "Le Demon" (The Demon). The opera is decidedly allegorical in theme and structure.

Eugene Purrello conducted and got good results from his orchestra, as well as principals and choruses. Max Panteleoff sang the title role and did sang it well. He has a voice that is dependable throughout its entire range and which showed some tones that were quite unusually beautiful.

Tamara was sung by Marie Mahir, whose dramatic soprano was entirely equal to the demands placed up on—and they were not light. Tamara's lover was sung by Ivan Dneproff, who sang Dmitri in "Boris." His tenor voice is of good quality, but lacks the training it should have had.

—Evelyn Shaw to Christmas Basket Fund—

BRITISH SHIP GOES TO AID OF KAYSER

Radio messages picked up here today indicated the British steamship Tyrrhenia, bound from New York for Genoa, was proceeding to the assistance of the German steamer Heinrich Kayser, reported in need of assistance 500 miles east of Cape May.

The Kayser is bound from Savannah and Norfolk for Bremen and Hamburg. She reported her anchor chains broken and hatches damaged by heavy seas.

The Tyrrhenia sent word by wireless today to the Coast Guard cutter Acushnet, which also was proceeding to the aid of the Kayser, that the Tyrrhenia had not heard from the Kayser since 8:00 o'clock last night. It was added that the Tyrrhenia was still some distance from the position given by the German ship.

Marriage Intentions

Edward Tiechert, mechanic, 40 Chandler st., and Kathryn Mansell, stenographer, 126 St. Botolph st., widowed.

Thomas F. Kiley, mechanic, 22 Norton st., Dorchester, and Mary C. Keyes, operator, 16 Hewins st., Dorchester.

David Miller, architect, Newark, N. J., and Tamsie Mansfield, at her residence in Dorchester.

Simon Kenimsky, mechanic, 15 Greenwood st., Dorchester, and Frances Lodz, at home, 60 Dix st.

Samuel F. Burr, chauffeur, 38 Selden st., Dorchester, and Agnes Gallagher, at same address.

Joseph C. Van Cleve, mariner, U. S. N., Yeamen, and Mildred Berger, 1940 Dorchester ave., Allston.

Raphael Chaplin, barber, 1 Bowdoin sq., and Carolina Pratisoli, at home, 220 Hanover st.

Frank E. Davis, sales manager, 1092 Beacon st., and Marion C. Godfrey, private secretary, 307 Fourth st., widowed, five-day bike entered.

Gerald G. Fall, druggist, 119 Humboldt ave., divorced, and Teresa M. Daley, stenographer, same address.

Harry S. Eggleston, railroad engineer, 257 Dexter st., and Nellie A. Beede, maid, divorced, same address.

Benjamin L. Barron, privation dealer, 99 Glenwood st., and Pauline Robinson, at home, 10 Brenton st., Dorchester.

Joseph F. McGaffrey, teamster, 96 Summer st., Dorchester, and Grace E. Cortisse, stenographer, 9 Ashton pl., Dorchester.

Joseph Edner, merchant, 44 Grove st., and Nellie Fishman, milliner, same address.

Bacchus Miller, chauffeur, 15 Lansdowne st., and Anna G. Miller, 15 Brewer st., Cambridge.

Matthew J. Conroy, student (Government), 6 Rockville st., Dorchester, and Josephine A. McPhee, clerk, 24 Ellery st.

Alfred A. R. Boudrey, carpenter, 30 Maywood st., and Mary Wallace, clerk, widowed, 338 Main st., Everett.

Walter Cahill, machinist, 288 Chelsea st., and Mary Warbuck, inspector, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Jeremiah F. O'Leary, operator, 1 Bowdoin sq., and Helen A. Callahan, machine operator, Prescott st., Revere.

Samuel H. Sheiander, watchmaker, 49 Intervale st., and Celia Lewis, stenographer, 37 Glenway st.

Rhenen Millman, restaurant proprietor, 184 Main st., and Mary Gulesian, at home, Dracut.

Carroll Normaly, Fullman porter, 96 Humboldt ave., and Marion E. Young, present same address.

Joseph F. Campbell, auto mechanic, 1248 Tremont st., and Violet O. Blair, dressmaker, same address.

Samuel Kayvan, real estate business, 45 Milford st., and Julia Radell, dressmaker, 1923 Washington st., both widowed.

Thomas H. Mahoney, 1078 West Concord st., widowed, and Rose Le May, waitress, Hartford, Conn.

Jacob K. Patten, salesman, 3 Arlington ave., widowed, and Jennie L. Fullerton, 232 Tremont st., divorced and widowed.

Emilio Avallone, tailor, 1105 Saratoga st., and Francesco Ingrassia, dressmaker, same address.

Benjamin Harris, fruit dealer, 118 Leverett st., and Rose Gutfield, cloak stripper, 106 Brighton st.

—How to Christmas Basket Fund—

ACCUSES 2 DOCTORS IN ASYLUM PLOT

Mrs. Grace Lightfoot of Worcester has filed suit for damages of $50,000 in the Federal District Court against Edith M. Rolston and Eusebia F. Rolston, also of Worcester, and two physicians from that city, Dr. Leslie P. Leland and Dr. Michael M. Jordon. The plaintiff charges that the four defendants conspired to have her declared insane and then placed in an asylum. Dr. Leland has filed an answer, making a general denial of the accusations.

Mrs. Grace Lightfoot

Radio Program

WGI, MEDFORD.

1:30 P. M.—Produce Market Report. Weather Forecast. Agriograms from United States Department of Agriculture (485 meters).

2:00 — Concert. Miss Christine Wright, soprano; Miss Ines Walker, contralto; Miss Olive Shurlock, violinist; Mr. Montague Mashell, 'cellist; Mr. Iverson L. Harris, clarinetist.

3.—Vocal duet "The Still Lagoon." Miss Walker and Miss Shurlock, with violin and violin obligato.

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3.—'Cello solo, "Hymn to Sun," Rimsky-Korsakoff. Mr. Machell.

4.—Violin solo, "Indian Lament," Dvorak-Kreisler, Miss Shurlock.

5.—Piano solo, "Prelude in G Minor," Rachmaninoff.

6.—Clarinet solo, "Polonaise from Mignon," Thomas. Mr. Harris.

7.—Vocal duet, "Venetian Boat Song." Miss Walker and Miss Shurlock.

8:00 — 1. Midafternoon News Broadcast furnished by Boston American.

II. Musical Program.

6:00—Market Report (485 meters).

6:15—Boston Police Reports. Late News Flashes. Daily Sport News—Boston American.

7:00—Evening Program. Concert by the Ideal Radio Quartet Club, Mrs. L. G. Shattuck, director.

1. "A Moonlight Frolic ..... Odell
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5. "Collegiana" ..... Odell
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4:00 P. M.—Dance Music. Orchestra. Selections on Pianola. Selections on Victrola.

8:15—Amphion Club—75 Male Voices. 1.—Club—"To Arms"—Maunder. 2.—Duet for Organ and Piano—Beethoven—Ralph Linwood Baker, Mr. Angus Winter.

3.—"Italian Street Song"—Victor Herbert—Miss Marjorie Moody and Club.

4.—Club—(a) "Madrigal"—Spicker; (b) "Bells of Shannon—Nevin. (c) "Omnipotence"—Shubert. (d) "The Cat With The Baritone Voice"—Scott.

5.—Soprano Solos—Selected. Miss Marjorie Moody.

6.—Club—(a). "The Boogaboo"—Debrah. (b). "The Maid of the Valley"—Herbeck; (c) "From a By-Gone Day"—Osgood; (d) "Bodouin Song"—Rogers; (e), "Pickaninny Snuggle Song"—Smith; (f) "The Nun of Nidoros"—Buck.

Announcements

DEATHS

HUNTER—Died in East Weymouth, Dec. 5, Needham C. Hunter.

Funeral from residence, 1044 Pleasant st., Thursday, Dec. 7, at 7.15 a. m., thence to High mass at St. Joseph's Church, Wakefield, at 9.30 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Also a member of Wakefield Post, No. 12, G. A. R. Interment at St. Patrick's Cemetery, Stoneham.

KENISTON—In Somerville, Dec. 6, George W. Keniston, aged 86 years, 9 months.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Otis K. Hanson, 240 Broadway, Thursday, Dec. 7, at 2:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Elsworth American and Kennebec Journal, Me., please copy.

NELSON—In Somerville, Dec. 5, Clara P. Nelson.

Funeral services will be held at her sister's residence, Mrs. William J. Prime, 6 Hudson st., Friday, at 2 o'clock.

O'BRIEN—At Winchester, Mass., Dec. 6, Margaret, wife of James O'Brien.

Funeral Saturday at 8.30a. m., from her late home, 239 Washington st. Requiem mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Auto cortege.

WELLS—In California, Nov. 18, Rinda Alles, daughter of Annie M. and the late Charles E. Wells, formerly of Medford, Mass.

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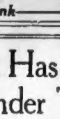

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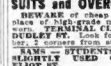

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CITY OF BOSTON

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We hereby certify, as required by law, that the following is the list of all the candidates duly nominated and to be voted for in the City of Boston, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1922.

JOHN F. DOWD, Secretary, Thomas N. Kearney, Frank Pelsbetter, James F. Hagan, } Board of Election Commissioners

FOR CITY COUNCIL (5 YEARS)

Vote for Three

WILLIAM F. McNAMARA, 4 Concord street
WILLIAM C. S. HEALEY, 191 Webster st.
JOHN A. KELLY, 1576 Dorchester ave.
WILLIAM F. DWYER, 140 Calumet st.
JOHN F. COLLINS, 1 Bowdoin sq., E. W.
JOHN T. GIBBONS, 107 Green street
JAMES E. HERIGAN, 396 Beech street
GEORGE V. FERRERIA, 19 Sharon pl.
ANNIE F. MOLLOY, 34 Cowper street
PETER J. McGUIRE, 44 Charles street
JOHN F. HIGGINS, 23 Hull street
MICHAEL J. COLLINS, 22 Bellflower st.
MICHAEL LYNCH, 24 Gaston street
JAMES E. MICHAEL, 1161 Dorchester ave.
FRANK B. HOWLAND, 1054a Warren st.
DAVID A. BRICKLEY, 199 Temple st.
MARTIN J. IKE, 4 North Grove street
DAVID A. BRICKLEY, 199 Temple st.
FLORENCE H. LUSCOMB, 16 Ashford st.

For SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 Yrs.)

Vote for Two

WALTER G. McCAFFERY, 106 Dunster rd.
FREDERICK I. ROGAN, 41 Landseer st.
JAMES F. HOSLEY, 1161 Dorchester ave.
WILLIAM G. O'HARE, 21 Bartlett street

Shall the city petition for the installation of the accounting system by the Commonwealth?	YES — NO
Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this city?

We are not ashamed to seek the good in our fellowmen, no matter how inadequate or mistaken their conduct may seem to us.—*Rev. W. E. Gilroy, D. D.*

BOSTON ~~and~~ AMERICAN

Largest Evening Circulation in New England—December 7, 1922

Thirty-four of the thirty-eight cities in the State had a higher tax rate than Boston for the year 1921.

This Is About What Men Think of Women—

The Anti-Suffrage Idiot Especially Has These Ideas

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A young man named Benjamin Lawrence Taylor has sold to us for one cent, which we gladly pay, the following clipping from the Review of Towanda, Pa.:

HIS MODEST REQUIREMENTS.

Wanted—The woman who has been doing my washing has gone back on me. I must have a wife at once; would like a white woman, between twenty-five and thirty-five years of age; a maiden, who has not even given herself to any so-called Christian societies, or will forever renounce same and give herself up entire], to love, respect and obey me, while I love, cherish and protect her; my judgment always to be final and complete.

Does not that most beautifully represent the attitude of the average conceited, second rate, small, worthless and incompetent male individual?

You may be pretty sure that this man who wants a wife is very strong in his opinion that women ought not to vote.

Observe how carefully this man who needs a washwoman—and is willing to have her do the washing for nothing—specifies that the woman shall have no interests, no thoughts of her own.

HIS judgment is to be "always final and complete." The poor wife—washwoman—is "to love, obey and respect me"—that ME being the gentle idiot who advertises.

In that short advertisement there is the real belief, the actual inside sentiment, of nine hundred and ninety-nine out of one thousand men that oppose woman suffrage.

They want a wife and washwoman combined if they happen to be poor. And they want a wife and a slave and flatterer combined if they happen to be rich.

They don't want a THINKING human being as a companion. They want a humble, cringing creature to flatter them and obey them.

Many bachelors of the anti-suffrage kind keep a dog, because a dog, with its slavish manners, licking the master's feet, standing any kind of abuse, AND ALWAYS LOOKING UPON THE MASTER AS A HERO, comes as near as possible to the anti-suffrage idea of a wife.

The wonder is that so many women have for so many centuries actually managed to love, and consented to obey and respect the type of idiot represented in this advertisement and represented also in the average male denunciation of female suffrage.

Historians and Statesmen

We cannot help feeling that Mr. Edward F. McSweeney has rather the better of the discussion with Professor Muzzey concerning Muzzey's American history writings.

In his first letter to Mr. McSweeney he laid great emphasis upon the necessity of developing friendly feeling among the nations of the world. It is, of course, quite possible that a man fired by this sentiment can write a history of a nation and tell the story of its wars with other nations fully and without minimizing the causes or losing the sense of proportion as to the important bearing of wars upon the history of the nation. But it would be unusual and it would be a great deal better if our historians would stay historians and not try to become statesmen. Let the children of the country know the truth about their history and then let their statesmen present whatever other considerations as may be proper to guard their opinions. In any event, the worst thing is a suppression of the truth or part of it, or giving it a false perspective or destroying its proportions.

Our historians when they treat of the revolution want to keep themselves familiar with the Declaration of Independence. Any attempt to minimize the outrages of Great Britain on America must be kept reconcilable with the statements of wrongs in the Declaration of Independence signed by all the great leaders of our nation at the time when they risked their lives to do it. No little historian today should venture to challenge the truth of our Declaration of Independence in order to make friends with Great Britain, no matter how honest the intention may be.

Coffin Foundation Fund

The General Electric Company announces that it has set aside $400,000, to be known as the Coffin Foundation Fund. This fund is to be used from time to time in the awarding of prizes for inventions in the electrical line.

This is a most interesting experiment. We highly approve of it. This kind of award for a good invention might be very much better in our judgment than the patent law which gives the inventor a restricted monopoly of his patented article. It might be very much better.

It might be well to consider whether or not the United States government would not foster invention and justice more by undertaking to award the inventor according to the value of the invention to the community than to give him what generally is a useless monopoly, because the inventor is usually a poor man and a poor business man in the bargain, and has no money with which to manufacture the invention and no money with which to put it on the market, and thus is generally obliged to call in some shrewd moneyed man, who soon gets his patent away from him, leaves him out in the cold and makes the money on the patent himself. The patent law greatly increased the cost of living by giving the exploiter a seventeen-year monopoly and it does not stimulate invention.

We doubt very much if the inventive genius has to be stimulated, anyway. Most of the great inventions have not been made for money, but because it was something stirring inside of a man that had to come out. Very few of the great inventions have brought money to their inventors.

Watson Unindorsed

We regret that the Good Government Association has not indorsed "Jerry" Watson. However, the Good Government Association is not the last word on the subject.

We believe that the people of Boston think a great deal more of Mr. Watson's intrepid support of public ownership and operation of the gas and electric light plants and of his fight for a reduction in the charges of electricity than the Good Government Association thinks of it.

Tireless Head Hunter -:- By T. E. Powers

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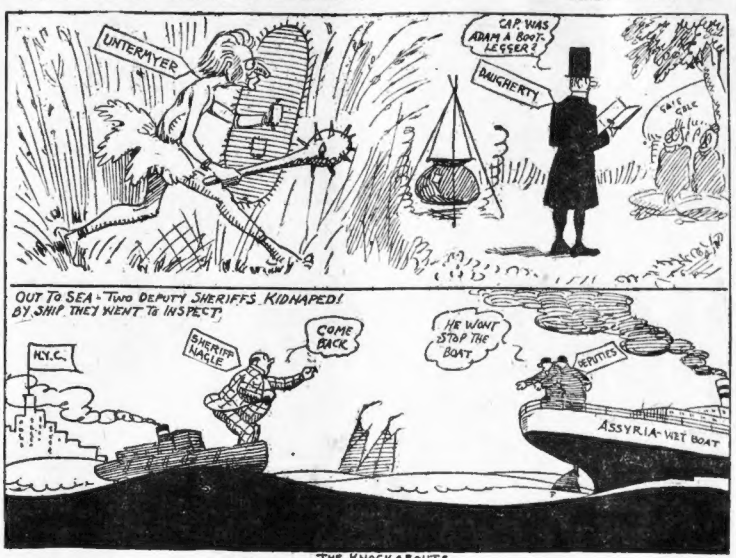

THE KNOCKABOUTS
SAY WHAT IS IT. THATS BLACK AND WHITE AND RED ALL OVER
BLACK AND WHITE AND RED ALL OVER. I GIVE IT UP
A NEWS PAPER!
DEAR HOMIE

Our Color Phobia

By Dr. Charles Fleischer

PHOBIAS are, literally, "fearful" things.

Most of us are possessed or obsessed by fears all our lives, from childhood's fear of the dark until old age's dread of what dreams may come when we have shuffled off this mortal coil.

Though the fewest of us can feel our fears in such poetic, Shakespearean terms as fairly to translate them into beauty. Usually our phobias are ugly and uglifying facts. And we "specialize" in them. One person indulges in a fear—whose name is hatred—from which the other fellow is altogether free.

To specialize in this article is only one kind of fear-hatred, there is the color phobia. The Caucasian, secure in the conceit of his superiority, commonly cultivates a color dislike which calmly includes everybody who is not white.

Not that this precludes other and mutual prejudices within the Caucasian group. But that's another story—of still more highly specialized hatreds.

It is curious, too, to note the geographical limitations of these phobias. Your average Briton in India has a deep-seated contempt for the colored race which sees that same bronzed or black Hindu may visit Britain and receive every courtesy and social respect.

Which reminds the writer of a valued friend, a full-blooded negro, born in America of slave parents.

His name is Roland Hayes, a tenor, of Boston, and one of the sweetest souls you would wish to know. A gentleman, in all that this much abused word implies.

For three years now Mr. Hayes has been singing in England and France and winning the enthusiastic plaudits of public and critics.

He has sung before the King and Queen of England and has made "appearance" which are rarely possible to an American.

And yet there is hardly a chance that this same gentle, exceedingly talented singer and unusually fine-spirited soul would be invited to sing with any American orchestra at a subscription concert.

If in London and Paris, why not in New York, Boston, Chicago and New Orleans?

Blessed is the individual and the nation that is free from all phobias! For of such are the happy lovers of their kind—which is all mankind.

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THE VOICE OF NEW ENGLAND

No Attention Paid to Anonymous Communications

No Love for England

Editor Boston American:

J. K. J. certainly has a queer sense of humor. For his enlightenment I wish to state that much printed in the American press about Ireland is English propaganda.

If he will buy a copy of the Irish World and read it with an unbiased mind he will see why the Irish "agitators" have no love for England. What I, K. J. terms agitators are really red-blooded men and women with principle.

The murder of women and children on the streets, the branding with hot irons, beating and murdering of Irish political prisoners are a few of the horrible crimes committed by the barbarous English. This State, No government founded on broken oaths and lies can live. The Republicans are winning, and Ireland will soon take her place among the nations of the earth. A. J. MARTIN.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Fair Sex in Court

Editor Boston American:

The women of these United States have been justly granted equal political rights. They have proven their ability, but I cannot see why they should be dealt with any more leniently in the tribunals of this nation. I have reference to several recent homicide cases wherein the fair principal was either acquitted or, where no possible decision but that of guilt could be arrived at, incarcerated for a few years. Chivalry is a credit to any nation, but we must realize that the fairer sex are equally as culpable and capable in executing a criminal intent with malice aforethought. The crime of murder is no less a crime because the hands which wielded the death instrument were soft and shapely. LEO J. CARELLA.

THE HELPING HAND

Do Not Inclose Stamps. Letters Will Not Be Answered Personally

Tiger Kitten

Editor Boston American:

I have a cute tiger kitten (male). Would very much like to find a good home for him. Born October 5.

MRS. T. W. B.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Invalid Chair

Editor Boston American:

Will some kind reader give an invalid chair to a poor boy? His mother is sick and has been unable to get him in a home. He is helpless. MRS. C. E.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Dog for Carriage

Editor Boston American:

Has anyone a small carriage or a stroller that they do not care for that is in good condition? I want it for a small baby, so would want a sunshade on it. I have a pretty little pet dog that I will give for one.

MRS. E. M. R.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Two Coats

Editor Boston American:

I have two warm coats to give away. One is for a lady (size 36), the other is for a man (size 38).

MRS. J. S.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Carriage Given

Editor Boston American:

I have a gray carriage which I would like to give away to someone.

MRS. M. F.

ED. NOTE—The address of Mrs. M. F. will be sent Mrs. T. J. S., who asked some time ago for a carriage.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Warm Clothing

Editor Boston American:

I have a few pieces of warm clothing. I will send to you, or anyone you will tell me of.

MRS. W. E. C.

ED. NOTE—The address of Mrs. W. E. C. will be given a worthy woman who applied.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Would Pay in Work

Editor Boston American:

I need a stroller and would like a phonograph. I am willing to do clerical work at home evenings for either of these.

MRS. M.

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Ice Chest

Editor Boston American:

If you will give the lady my address, who asked for an ice chest, I can give her one.

MRS. G. H. P.

[ED. NOTE—The person who recently asked for an ice chest has been supplied. Does any of our other readers need one?]

—Give Now to Christmas Basket Fund—

Cat and Magazines

Editor Boston American:

I have a very nice female cat that I would like to give away to some one that would be good to her. I can't take her where we're going. I also have a few magazines to give away.

MRS. C.

Give What They Want

By Winifred Black

THE beauty-shop girl was annoyed.

Really annoyed—and she didn't care who knew it. She had a customer, and she was doing her very best for her, and the customer seemed to appreciate the best, and was quite agreeable, and not in the least difficult—until the beauty-shop girl turned on the electricity—it was part of the treatment—and then the customer was horrid.

Simply horrid!

She wriggled and twisted, and she said she could feel the electricity doing something terrible to her hair, and her ears sang, and she hated it.

And she told the beauty-shop girl not to go on with the electricity, but to give her the rest of the treatment without it.

And the beauty shop girl had to do it—the very idea, as if she didn't know how to give an electric treatment!

Why, she had taken a regular course and studied, and she gave these same treatments every day to all sorts of women! Some of them didn't seem to like it very well, but they took it—they had sense enough to know that it was part of the treatment. But this woman—well, really she was certainly too much!

And we all sat and heard the story and saw the performance, and when the woman who didn't like the electricity was gone an elderly person who did like it, arose from her chair and started to pin on her hat.

"My dear," said the elderly person in a kindly voice, "do you happen to know who that 'impossible' woman is? She is one of the greatest singers in the world. Yes, she is a bit nervous and temperamental—she couldn't sing the way she does if she wasn't emotional and easily upset, and, of course, you know if that treatment of yours was making her nervous it was likely to put her out of voice for the opera tonight, and if a singer is out of voice even once it is a great tragedy to her.

"So you see, there are two sides to the situation, aren't there?"

"Besides, my dear, take the advice of a woman of experience, and never try to make people take what you think they ought to have. Give them what they want—you will make money by that."

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SEEN AND HEARD

PRESIDENT EDWARD J. PEARSON of the New Haven road appeared before the New England Railroad Conference without manuscript of his speech. "You are going to speak out of the fulness of your heart?" he was asked. "No," he said, "out of the ignorance of my wisdom."

In discussing the cost of a new bridge across the Charles River to replace the present Harvard Bridge, which connects Boston and Cambridge, MAYOR CURLEY asked PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER JOSEPH A. ROURKE what he thought the price would be. When "Joe" placed the figures skyward, the Mayor replied: "What do you want to place there, a gold-plated bridge?"

The man who has charge of the State House dome probably hasn't heard that the war is over yet. The dome, lighted at night, was one of the best attractions in the city. The lights were put out at night during the war, someone fearing that a German airplane might drop a bomb on the dome. It has been dark ever since.

A truck, four workingmen with shovels and their hands, and what seemed to be a pile of snow, caused pedestrians on Broadway, South End, to wonder just how bad our first snow storm had been. The pile of "snow" proved to be only a pile of dirt which had been completely covered by the storm.

Wonder if DR. WILLIAM D. McFEE, Mayor-elect of Haverhill, retains his youthful comeliness. As "Billy" McFee in the old Winter Street School in Haverhill he was the best looking lad in the class, also the best natured.

The American Institute of Meat Packers has issued the following relative to cruel treatment of livestock in transit due to the tremendous loss incurred last year: "Stop abusing livestock. Every blow means a bruise. Bruise means wasted meat."

MAJOR HAYNES, Federal Prohibition Commissioner, says that the use of sub-chasers along the coast has decreased the number of boats smuggling in liquor by at least two-thirds.

SAMUEL W. McCALL, the War Governor, who served many years in Congress, says of SENATOR BORAH: "He not only is a very, very able man, but a very frank and just man to do business with."

EVANGELIST FRANK CURTIS, who is moving many small communities in Maine by his earnest appeals to take the right side of life, was fifteen years a hanger around in Pi alley. FRANK got the cold shoulder in those days because he couldn't get the best of himself, but when he did he easily went up the ladder and is now nearing the top, for Boston business men are backing him in his splendid work.

The old NICHOLLS homestead, which for many years marked the Somerville-Medford boundary line, has been moved into Medford to allow room for a number of stores built in Magoun square, Somerville.

GARRETT P. SERVISS ON ASTRONOMY

By Garrett P. Serviss

"Please answer the following questions: (1) Was anything new learned about the planet Mars while it was nearest us this last Summer? (2) Could a being from this planet live upon the planet Venus? I have read that astronomers were unable to find evidences of oxygen in the atmosphere of Venus; is this true? (3) Assuming a machine capable of navigating space, what would happen to it after it left our atmosphere, and entered the meteoric swarm believed to extend for a considerable distance around us? Would it not be instantly destroyed?—C. E. S., Newport, R. I."

NOTHING essentially new was learned about the planet Mars during the opposition of this year. At its nearest approach the planet was not very close—more than 42,000,000 miles, which is 6,000,000 miles more than its favorable oppositions—and there were other circumstances which prevented the best observational results.

As the same time the observations, as far as they went, were confirmatory of what has been learned in the past. They showed the existence of the so-called "canals," and other features of the planet affected by periodical changes, and some observers reported appearances which seemed to indicate the formation of vast snow clouds in the atmosphere of Mars, and what seemed reflection of light from liquid surfaces; but these interpretations are not generally credited by astronomers.

As far as I know, however, all would rejoice to see them confirmed by observations made in better circumstances in 1924, for what could be more interesting than indications of the habitability of another world in the solar system?

As to a space-navigating machine carrying passengers beyond the earth's atmosphere that is something for a future age, although, considering the amazing progress of recent years, one cannot be sure that the age in question may not be almost at our doors.

Supposing that age arrived, and the interplanetary carrier—for which a name as imposing as its functions ought to be invented—ready for a voyage, say to the moon first, as a small preliminary adventure, what would happen to it in the black celestial offing beyond the atmospheric blue? Danger from meteors would not exist, at least not in the formidable shape that you suggest, for there is no earth-surrounding swarm of such bodies.

There are, to be sure, swarms of meteors revolving around the sun, some of which may be of the earth's orbit, and it might be wise not to set out on the celestial journey at the moment, say, when the Leonids or the Andromids are due in November, for a projectile traveling many miles per second would be a perilous thing to encounter, even though it weighed only a few ounces.

As to the huge bodies that occasionally encounter the earth, the chance of being hit by one of them would be negligible. The danger of the trip would consist partly in the possibility of running out of breathing gases.

That the atmosphere of that planet is sufficiently like the earth's to suit our physiological needs, of course, there would have to be water and vegetation also, but with an earth-like atmosphere those things would probably be found.

It is true that observations on the atmosphere of Venus at the Mount Wilson observatory have failed to show any evidence of the existence of oxygen or of water vapor. But some uncertainty is still left owing to a question as to the depth to which the observations penetrated in Venus' atmosphere.

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BRITISH DIVORCE LAWS POISON, SAYS DOYLE

By David M. Church

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Unhappy marriages are poisoning the life stream in England, and all because of antiquated divorce laws, according to Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.

"Several hundred thousand people are now wandering about England, helpless victims of our cruel and antiquated divorce laws," Sir Arthur declared. "They cannot live with their legal spouse, yet they are not free to marry. It stands to reason they will form illegal unions.

"Such people are as dangerous to the body politic as microbes in the blood, poisoning the life stream of the nation.

"We have half a million graves in Flanders," said the author, his deep voice tingling with quavering. "We want half a million cradles in England.

"But here are hundreds of thousands of people practically sterilized by our divorce laws. They cannot settle down and raise families, because the law forbids them to marry.

"And this sin"—Sir Arthur leaned forward and spoke earnestly—"is the fault of the church!

"The bishops of England, good people, no doubt, but slaves to old texts which do not in the least correspond to modern conditions, are in that way the greatest enemies to human progress and happiness!

"Unfortunately the bigoted people of the church are well organized. Only one out of ten people in England is connected with the church. But the 90 per cent are not organized, so their will is overruled by the organized weapons of the church, always against progress.

"Surely it is obvious that a law that keeps a man or woman tied for life to a dipsomaniac, a life convict, an insane person, or one by whom they have been deserted, is cruel.

"We are the laggards of the world in this matter, just as we were the last to reform our abominable criminal code!"

Sir Arthur is a leader in the movement for divorce law reforms. He displayed heaps of letters upon his study table from persons who bewailed the fact that they were enmeshed in unhappy marriages, but were unable to secure relief because of the English divorce laws, which permit divorce for men only on proof of misconduct by their wives and for women only upon proof of misconduct, cruelty or desertion.